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NEW YORK - Little more than what is printed above need be said to any intelligent operator today. This last slump definitely indicated the path he must follow. It proved to him that the time had at long last arrived (as The Cash Box has been urging him to do for over 5 years now) when he simply must change his commission arrangement with his locations so that he can continue on in the operating business profitably.

Whether he decides to work on 70%-30% commission basis or whether he desires a front money guarantee; or whatever method or system he thinks best in his territory and to fit the individual requirements of his locations he must change his present commission arrangement so that he can continue to enjoy profits and also continue to purchase the new mach-

ines he needs to forestall competition and to offset whatever loss of play comes about in time with the over use of machines.

From every standpoint, then the average coin machine operator is faced with same decision which the average retail merchant was forced to make. Retail merchants did not like to raise the price of the merchandise to their customers. Operators don't like to, either. But today it's a 'must'. There is no other alternative. Many have once again switched over to 10¢ play and have found that in certain locations..this is profitable.

Others have adopted tactics which have proved that they

can obtain more money from the equipment they have on location. These men, who made such decisions will continue in the operating business on a profitable basis. Those who haven't will simply be forced to drop out of the picture. There is no other answer.

The average amusement machine operator has been in a better position to continue on a profit basis in view of the fact that his initial.. buy is usually his last buy since purchase of parts and supplies for amusement equipment is at a minimum. The music machine ops is faced with continuous purchase of all types of supplies and parts.

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GAME FIELD IS FIRST TO THAW OUT

**Enjoy Big Spring Biz Pickup. Now Fore-
see Great Year Ahead for Entire Amuse-
ment Games Field.**

NEW YORK — Current reports from across the country indicate that the game field has been the first to thaw out of the winter ice and snow which blanketed the nation and was, in great measure, responsible for a severe dip in sales of all types of coin operated equipment.

Coinmen now report that the games business is now going ahead for them faster than any other division of the field.

They claim that this division of the industry not only recovered first, but, it also proved better able to withstand the poor business month which has just passed.

Now with the game field in good action once again....and the action growing speedier each week, there is a general belief that game sales will enjoy one of the best years.

Manufacturers of amusement

machines have gone right ahead. Some interesting developments are in store for the trade. There is also a belief which, of course, isn't verified and is also reported to be rather far fetched....that prices, too, may come down as manufacturing efficiency goes up with volume production.

Distributors have been covering their territories with greater zeal than ever before. They report that averages are continuing to go up steadily, with the future sure to bring bigger play than ever before enjoyed.

This is interesting to all in the trade. It proves that the manufacturers are building equipment which is meeting with public approval and acceptance.

Operators are satisfied with the way machines have been taking hold. They are putting forth even greater effort to make sure that every one of their locations is well covered with equipment, and that they can be assured maximum play action.

The first noticeable indication of the return of better business to the game field was the rise in prices of all used equipment. This has always been the best barometer.

As used machines reach and maintain a higher price level the trade-in valuation goes up and new machines start going out faster than ever.

Of all the amusement machines, pinball remains "king" in per unit and dollar volume

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DISTRIBS YELP HELP BOOTLEGGERS ARE AT IT AGAIN

**Claim Sales Being Made at Only a Few
Dollars Above Cost. Ask for Better Pro-
tection to Assure Solid Business.**

CHICAGO - From leading distributors everywhere in the nation complaints are being received regarding the fact that the bootleggers are on a rampage again. This time they seem to be going all out — neglecting no territory whatever.

One leading distributor advises, "I'm just about all ready to throw in the sponge

"When the bootleggers first started down here we could still go ahead. But, this time", he reports, they have absolutely gone ahead on a rampage. They are selling equipment at just a few dollars above cost. There's no use trying to continue on in business at this rate.

"And, what's more," he says "they seem to be able to get the machines they want even before we do."

Not only in the amusement machine field, but, also in the music field, the same complaints are being heard from leading distributors thruout the nation.

One distrib says, "I don't know where they are getting our phonos, but, they are offering them here at varied prices."

Distribs, 'way back last Fall, when they first felt the effect of bootleggers sales, were eager to get together into a national organization, with this point the big reason for the get-together.

Now, they are again eager to do something which will, once and for all time, remove the bootlegger from the national sales scene.

They believe that unless something drastic is done about him, they might as well forget about the distributing business.

One noted distrib stated, "Unless there is some means of stopping all these people from bootlegging machines thruout the country, the entire base on which distributing is built may as well fold up. We can't", he claims "build a solid distributing business, carry stock, parts and supplies and service our customers, if we have no margin of profit to work with... the bootleggers", he continues, "just don't give a damn

Their first sale is as good as their last sale and, from then on, they have nothing more to do with the operator with the machine he bought or with anything else in the territory they invaded.

Many manufacturers have taken stern and stringent steps to halt bootlegging of their products. Distribs were even cast aside by some of the manufacturers in an effort to halt this poor business practise.

Operators need distribs who are not only willing to carry stock and sell equipment, but, who will also maintain a parts and supplies department....and give them the proper service when necessary.

Operators realize that a local distrib will not service equipment which has been bootlegged into the territory. This hurts all concerned with the machines. Therefore, the industry must drive for some cue to halt these pests who will not listen to reason.

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Music Section



Art Mooney

Currently kicking up a storm in juke boxes throughout the nation, Art Mooney continues to mean money to music ops. Riding high with "Four Leaf Clover" and "Baby Face", Art set the stage for the current string-band music craze. Exclusively featured on MGM Records. Direction: Associated Booking Corp. Personal Manager: Joe Galkin. Record Exploitation: Henry Okun.

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*"Here's a nickel-nabber
IF THERE EVER WAS ONE!
... rates like a spade flush!"*
— FROM THE CASH BOX — MARCH 27th

SHEP FIELDS

AND HIS RIPPLING RHYTHM ORCHESTRA'S
sparkling recording of

'LAROO, LAROO, LILLI BOLERO'

backed by

'HOLD IT JOE'

on

MUSICRAFT No. 546

**THE CASH BOX
DISK O' THE WEEK**

**ORDER NOW from your nearest
MUSICRAFT Distributor**



DISK O'THE WEEK

"Laroo Laroo Lilli Bolero" (2:41)
"Hold It Joe" (2:50)

SHEP FIELDS ORCH.
(Musicraft 546)



SHEP FIELDS

Here's a nickel-nabber if there ever was one! Long missing from the phonos as a name attraction, maestro Shep Fields is a cinch to score heavily with this Neapolitan ode. Titled "Laroo Laroo Lilli Bolero", Shep offers a ton of sparkling rhythm to set the stage for an avalanche of coin play. Balladeer Bob Johnstone to the mike to warble the enchanting wordage which tells the tale of a magic phrase. The pipers soft blending resounds throughout the wax in exquisite tones that satisfy, while Shep and the boys provide some excellent background. Stuff is a natural for the quiet spots and should grab a slew of coin. On the flip with a bit of a novelty piece tagged "Hold It Joe", chirp Toni Arden joins with Bob Johnstone to render some favorable musical moments. Wax has a Latin kick to it and should meet with wide favor. "Laroo Laroo Lilli Bolero" rates like a spade flush—hop on the bandwagon.

The Nation's TOP TEN Juke Box Tunes



The Top Ten Tunes Netting Heaviest Play in The Nation's Juke Boxes, Compiled From Reports Submitted Weekly To The Cash Box By Leading Music Operators Throughout The Country.

CODE

AL—Alladin
AP—Apollo
AR—Aristocrat
BU—Bullet
CA—Capitol
DA—Davis
CN—Continental
CO—Columbia
CS—Coast
CE—Celebrity
DE—Decca
DEL—Deluxe
EX—Exclusive

KI—King
MI—Miracle
MA—Majestic
ME—Mercury
MG—M-G-M
LO—London
MN—Manor
MO—Modern
MU—Musicraft
NA—National
RA—Rainbow

RE—Regent
SA—Savoy
SD—Super Disc
SI—Signature
SP—Specialty
ST—Sterling
TO—Top
TC—Twentieth Century
UN—Universal
VI—Victor
VT—Vitacoustic

1

NOW IS THE HOUR

CA-15024—Margaret Whiting
CO-38061—Horace Heidt O.
CO-38115—Buddy Clark
DE-24279—Bing Crosby
LO-110—Gracie Fields
MA-1191—Eddy Howard O.
ME-5103—Les Paul Trio

MG-10125—Kate Smith
MU-532—Shep Fields O.
SI-15178—Ray Bloch O.
VI-20-2704—Charlie Spivak O.

2

I'M LOOKING OVER A
FOUR LEAF CLOVER

CA-491—Alvino Rey O.
CO-38100—Tony Hill O.
CO-38081—Arthur Godfrey
ME-5105—Frankie Laine
ME-5100—Uptown String Band

MG-10119—Art Mooney O.
MU-543—Polka Dots
RA-10043—Jimmy Saunders
SI-15117—Ray Bloch O.
TR-220—Alexander O.
VI-20-2668—Three Suns

3

SHINE

DE-25354—Ella Fitzgerald
DE-25353—Guy Lombardo O.
DE-24382—The Mills Bros.

ME-5091—Frankie Laine
VI-20-2760—Hot Quintette

4

BUT BEAUTIFUL

CA-15024—Margaret Whiting
CO-38053—Frank Sinatra
DE-24283—Bing Crosby
DE-24294—Bing Crosby
ME-5096—Frankie Laine

MG-10126—Art Lund
MU-538—Mel Torme
SI-15117—Ray Bloch O.
VI-20-2616—Tex Beneke O.

5

MANANA

CA-15022—Peggy Lee
DE-24333—Mills Bros.
LO-187—Edmundo Ross

6

BEG YOUR PARDON

BU-1012—Francis Craig
CA-490—The Dinning Sisters
CO-38036—Frankie Carlo O.

MG-10140—Art Mooney O.
VI-20-2647—Larry Green O.

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SABRE DANCE

CO 28102 — Woody Herman
DE 24338 — Victor Young O.
MG 30048 — Macklin Marrow O.

RE 111 — Don Henry Trio
SI 15180 — Ray Bloch O.
VI 20-2721 — Freddy Martin O.

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BABY FACE

AP 1112 — Phillie All Stars
DE 25356 — Henry King O.
MO 20-570 — Butch Stone O.

MG 10156 — Art Mooney O.
TO 1255 — Benny Strong O.

9

BECAUSE

VI 20-2655 — Perry Como

10

GOLDEN EARRINGS

CA-15009—Peggy Lee
CO-37932—Dinah Shore
DE-24270—Guy Lombardo O.
DE-24278—Bing Crosby

ME-3072—Anita Ellis
MG-10085—Jack Fina O.
VI-20-2585—Charlie Spivak O.

THIS WEEK'S

RCA VICTOR

RELEASE

NEW DISNEY HITS!

4 Top Songs from "Melody Time"

TEX BENEKE

Encore, Cherie

Another romantic ballad with the French flavor of "You're Too Dangerous, Cherie." Ben-
eke's smooth reeds and brass
back Garry Stevens on the
vocal.

Saturday Date

Reminds you of "Juke Box Saturday Night"! Tex
chants the catchy vocal as the whale band goes
to town in bright bounce tempo.

RCA Victor 20-2770



SPIKE JONES

and his City Slickers

**Down in
Jungle Town**

That typical Jonesmaath
intra . . . followed by
crazy rhythm . . . then,
Paul Judson, Freddy
Margan and the "Head
Hunters" slap "Peg o'
My Heart" around!

Ugga Ugga Boo Ugga Boo Boo Ugga

Spike's wild balled about a magic password. It's
caught on big in California!

RCA Victor 20-2820



SAMMY KAYE

Little Toot and Pecos Bill

RCA Victor 20-2786

VAUGHN MONROE

Melody Time and

Blue Shadows On the Trail

RCA Victor 20-2785

ROY ROGERS and

THE SONS OF THE PIONEERS

Blue Shadows On the Trail

and Pecos Bill

RCA Victor 20-2780

WATCH THESE "CLIMBERS"!

PERRY COMO

Laroo Laroo Lilli Bolero

RCA Victor 20-2734

ARTHUR "BIG BOY" CRUDUP

Dirt Road Blues

RCA Victor 20-2757

TOMMY DORSEY

My Gal Is Mine Once More

RCA Victor 20-2724

RAY McKINLEY

Arizay

RCA Victor 20-2736

HENRI RENÉ

Helen—Polka

RCA Victor 25-1109

TEXAS JIM ROBERTSON

Deep In the Bottom of the Sea

RCA Victor 20-2651

ALL-TIME HITS RE-ISSUED!

TOMMY DORSEY

Boogie Woogie

RCA Victor 20-2005

VAUGHN MONROE

There I Go

RCA Victor 20-2644

SURE HITS!

VAUGHN MONROE

Matinee RCA Victor 20-2671

LOUIS PRIMA

Oh Florence

(The Thousand Islands Song)
RCA Victor 20-2619



JESSE STONE

and his Orchestra

Who Killed 'Er

(Who Killed the
Black Widder)

It's the promising hit
Hoagy Carmichael
sings in the pic "Night
Song." Jesse does the
vocal in his famous
rugged style.

Mister Jelly Fingers

An effective "riff" song that'll have Jesse's fans
burning up the juke. "Mr. Fingers" himself is at
the piano while a group vocal keeps his fingers
flyin'.

RCA Victor 20-2788

**LONZO
AND
OSCAR**

with The Winston
County Pea Pickers

Poppin' Bubble Gum

and

Ole Mother Nature

"I'm My Own Grandpa" has boosted them to
the hillbilly tap rank. Here's a zany ditty packed
with lyrical twists and complications. "B" is in
jump tempo, with appealing hayseed flavor.

RCA Victor 20-2765



TEXAS JIM ROBERTSON

and The Panhandle Punchers

Mountain Rosalie

and

**The Letter I'm
Mailing To You**

Topside ditty is the type that
Texas Jim really puts over . . . about a gal who
lives up in "them tar hills." On the flip is a
straight hillbilly tune flavored with rustic romance.
Swell combo for country locs!

RCA Victor 20-2764



JOE LOSS

and his Orchestra

Mañana and Teresa

RCA Victor 20-2819

ARBEE STIDHAM

(Blues) with accompaniment

I Don't Know How to Cry

and

In Love With You

RCA Victor 20-2767

MONTANA SLIM

and The Big Hole Bronco Busters

It Is Later Than You Think and

There's A Love Knot in My Lariat

RCA Victor 20-2766

THE STARS WHO MAKE THE HITS

ARE ON



RCA VICTOR RECORDS



THE CASH BOX

Record Reviews

"MY BUDDY"

"ANGEL CHILD"

Sammy Kaye Orch.
(Celebrity 2014)

Pair of playful oldies by maestro Sammy Kaye spring up here on this disk dating back a number of odd years. Both sides should be familiar to ops since they scored heavily then. Both sides spill in slow fashion, with the refrain echoing smoothly thruout. Top side features Tommy Ryan in soft soothing strains. Flip shows as an adequate hunk of wax, with the Three Kaydets purring. Both sides deserve a spot in your machine.

"SWEET LORRAINE"

"I COVER THE WATERFRONT"

Martha Raye with
Charlie Barnet Orch.
(Apollo 1110)

Bowing into the disk spotlight via this cookie, our gal Martha Raye purrs soft and sweet to come up with a pair of potential coin winners. Both sides show as effective material, with the top deck grabbing the glory. The gal's pipes in nostalgic tones all the way make for pleasant listening while maestro Barnet rounds out the side in top fashion. The pair are well known and should meet with wide favor.

"IAROO IAROO LILLI BOLERO"

"I STILL LOVE YOU"

Bob Houston
(MGM 10166)

The impressive and well-balanced singing of piper Bob Houston sets the stage for some heavy coin play here. Offering the strong meaningful refrain to the top deck, Bob comes thru for the ops. Setting is plush and intimate, while the ork fills the air with light strains. Ditty will kick up a storm in the not too distant future. Flip shows as an adequate piece of romance material as the balladeer pitches pipes to come up with another grade A cookie. Top deck is hot!

DISK O'THE WEEK

"SPRING IN DECEMBER"

"I WANNA"

Beryl Davis
(Victor 20-2762)



BERYL DAVIS

Music ops are bound to make whoopee with this platter! By fare one of her best disks to date, chirp Beryl Davis sets the stage for a slew of coin play with "Spring In December", a torrid hunk of wax if there ever was one. Beryl chirps soft and elegantly thruout as the wax weaves in toned down setting. A plush carpet of velvet spikes the cookie, while loads of charming wordage make for rapurous moments of listening pleasure. Song has that extra measure of punch behind it, with Beryl's pipes matching the brilliance of the wax like a glove. Flip is a bit of a novelty piece showing as adequate wax for the phonos. Orchestral backing by maestro Tootie Camarata adds to the disks winning ways. "Spring In December" for coin in the phonos!

"LET'S LOVE AGAIN"

"THE MOJO"

Sax Mallar Orch.
(Aristocrat 2001)

Pair of playful sides to which ops can latch onto are these offered in top manner by the Sax Mallad crew. Top side, with a vocal spot by Jimmy Bowman grabs the lead, with the wax flowery all thru. Pace is slow, and aimed at ops with race spots. Flip, an instrumental bit is flavored with a Latin beat, while the boys give with a ton of sparkling rhythm. We like the top deck.

"WORRY, WORRY, WORRY"

"THE FEATHERY FEELING"

Vic Damone
(Mercury 5107)

Top notch ballading of piper Vic Damone on two top notch sides should meet with fair approval by music ops. Top deck is currently kicking up a storm in many a spot and as offered by young Da Moan, should come in for some nice coin play. Wax has a cute bounce to it, with the lyrics blending throughout. On the backside, Vic keeps the metro gay and happy to serve up another potential winner. His wide popularity will add to disks potential—nab it.

"POMPTON TURNPIKE"

"CHARLESTON ALLEY"

Charley Barnet O.
(Apollo 1105)

Excellent flavor furnished by maestro Barnet and a pair of favorites that should catch on. Both sides are bound to be remembered by ops as they went like wildfire several moons ago. Top side offers more, with Charlie knocking off a ton of licks and tricks to satisfy. Wax aimed at the mellow crowd, is sure to boost your juke take. Climb on the band wagon - but pronto!

"ISLE OF CAPRI"

"MY GUITAR"

Alan Dale
(Signature 15183)

Here's one that will go like a ton of bricks. Crowding the ranks of the swoon and croon men Alan Dale sets with an oldie that spells phono play. It's the famed "Isle Of Capri", sung in smooth, fancy styling all thru. Unique instrumental backing by Ray Bloch should cause many sighs and whys. Alan's piping is rich and warm and puts the listener in a receptive mood.

America's No. 1
Juke Box
Attraction!

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Eddy HOWARD

and his Orchestra

BIG in the
BOXES with

SLEEPER OF THE WEEK

"NOW IS THE HOUR"

"TRUE"

MAJESTIC No. 1190

"BEG YOUR PARDON"

"AN OLD SOMBRERO"

MAJESTIC No. 1220

"BUT BEAUTIFUL"

"MY COUSIN
LOUELLA"

MAJESTIC No. 1214

Be sure to listen to our new Radio
Show — "Sheaffer Parade" for
Sheaffer Pen Co.

Sundays, 3-3:30 P.M., E.D.T. over
NBC—Coast to Coast.

Cash in on America's Number 1 Juke Box Attraction—

Spot these HIT

Majestic

RECORDS in your machines.

ROUND THE WAX CIRCLE

by Byrde Gore

The annual release of trade reports covering the 1947 business year....by a host of record manufacturers certainly looked good to many — before the score had been added...Interesting note that was most in the record biz showed excellent gross figures...at the same time showing net decreases than the former year. Record execs explain this by pointing to...the disk ban.....Many went to tremendous expense just to establish a large backlog of masters.....Nevertheless...most diskers did not start to stock up until the first of December, as these reports show. With everyone and his cousin...cashing in on "million hit disks"....we can't account for the supposed bad year.

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Note to our many friends: please bear with us during the current typographers' strike.....Conditions beyond our control prevent us from presenting.....The Cash Box in its usual format. Thanxx a zillion.

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Sammy Kaye is the latest to set off on a nationwide concert junket...Tentative jumping off spot...for the tour is...Birmingham, Ala. ...Format of the orkster's one night sessions....will incorporate his...."Sunday Serenade" air show and his "So You Want To Lead A Band" stunt.

* * *

Don Henry of "Sabre Dance" fame goes into the Hipp in Baltimore.....Philly is really getting ready for.. maestro Benny Goodman's Click Club date....."My Happiness" on Damon disks kicking up a storm..... Ben Linn.....major domo at Regal Music, proud papa.. of twins.....Illinois Jacquet group grossed a hep \$122,000....in 17 concert dates.....Butch Stone rejoins the Les Brown ork, this week.....Is Mr. Petrillo's intended jaunt to Arizona indicative?

THE CASH BOX

Record Reviews

"TEACH ME, TEACH ME, BABY"
"WHY DOES IT HAVE TO RAIN
ON SUNDAY"

Beale Street Boys
(MGM 10141)

Pair of sides by this top notch combo are served up here in light manner, with soft sparkling tones that satisfy seeping thru. Both sides are flavored with a ton of excellent harmony, with the material offered serving adequately. It's the top side that grabs glory with the cute wordage bouncing throughout the wax. Ops that need wonderful filler material can do well with this pair.

"YELL FOR YOUR MAMA"
"HO HO HA! HA! HA!"
Beatrice Kay
(Columbia 38143)

A heavy coin culler in a slew of boxes, Beatrice Kay shows her versatile styling here with this merry pair of sides. On the top deck for the refrain of "Yell For Your Mama", Bea gives with a hatful of voice to come thru for ops. Ditty has loads of charm, and as such should go over. Flip is a repeat of the top deck, with the metro in the same happy atmosphere throughout. The pair definitely rate a spot in your machine.

"NINA"
"YOU CAN'T RUN AWAY FROM
LOVE"
Harry James Orch.
(Columbia 38152)

Pair of nostalgic sides by maestro Harry James with the pacing of "Nina" and "You Can't Run Away From Love" seeping thru. Top deck is a fast instrumental bit, with James and his horn shining brightly. You'll likewise go for the flip with chirp Marion Morgan topside for the vocal spot. Ditty is from a flicker, and as such may get a hypo. Where the fans flock for James, they will go for this.

SLEEPER OF THE WEEK

"THE LOVELINESS OF YOU"
"I'VE ONLY MYSELF TO BLAME"
George Paxton Orch.
(MGM 10169)



GEORGE PAXTON

Long missing from the phonos as a name attraction, maestro George Paxton sets a pair here to start the ball rolling. Bound to thrill the cupid set, and thrill them in a big way at that is this bit labeled "The Loveliness of You". Balladeer Dick Merrick offers the reason for excitement. His pipes trill a fond and soothing refrain in meaningful tones that go a long way towards boosting coin play. Mood is sweet and strong and sure to meet with wide approval from the moon-in-june kids. Flip is an oldie that is currently making headway on the phonos. Dick back again for more top notch piping, with the Paxton boys rounding out the wax. Topside for the heavy play.

"I'VE GOT A CRUSH ON YOU"
"EVER HOMEWARD"
Frank Sinatra
(Columbia 38151)

Soft dulcet purring of Frank Sinatra and some wax that should add to the ops take. Top deck is the Gershwin winner with Frank spooning the magic wordage in fond tones that satisfy. On the backing with a pic tune, the Verve offers "Ever Homeward", with a chorus of Polish thrown in. Ditty is powerful in both the lyrical and orchestral expression. Both sides are hot!

"SPRING IN DECEMBER"
"TALKING TO MYSELF ABOUT
YOU"

Buddy Clark
(Columbia 38153)

More fragrant melody by Buddy Clark, with a top ballad in the offing on this bit of wax. It's "Spring In December", a sure fire winner in the phonos. Buddy's vocal offering is pleasing all thru, with light strings flashing under the baton of Dick Jones. Stuff is tailor made for the soda spots and is also suited for the dance and listener crowd. Flip is more velvet material, with a ton of cute wordage all thru the waxing. Where they go for Buddy Clark, they'll hold still for this.

"LARGO LARGO LILLI POLERO"
"WHEN YOUR HAIR HAS TURNED
TO SILVER"
Perry Como
(Victor 20-2754)

Rapidly rising on phonos throughout the nation is this bit offered here by piper Perry Como. Sure to win favor with the large bevy of fans he has Perry purrs like a cat in soft romantic voice, while the Russ Case ork fill the air with loads of sweet. Ditty is a Neapolitan ode, replete with intimacy and warm thruout. On the backing with an oldie, Bomo the King comes thru again. Ditty is widely known - it always drew raves and should do so now.

"BIG LEGGED MAMA"
"I'M A DOCTOR FOR WOMEN"
Jack Dupree
(Celebrity 2012)

Pair of sides for ops with race spots are these done up brown by Jack Dupree. Both sides are offered in stock race tempo, with a ton of howling throughout. Tempo is slow, with the vocal spot effective as it stands. Ops that need fillers - take note.

Modern Expands In Fol & Western Field

HOLLYWOOD, CAL. — Modern Records will expand their record catalog to include a complete new folk and western series, the diskery disclosed this past week.

The line will consist of authentic hillbilly music recorded prior to the ban in the southern states of Texas, Louisiana Kentucky and Tennessee.

Aside from Modern's top Western star, Jimmy Dolan, a complete lineup of new western and folk stars are on the roster. At least five new numbers will be released each month on a regular release schedule.

Also delving deep into the race market and coming up with some original recording of what is termed "Down Home Blues", Modern will likewise concentrate in this field. The wide popularity for this type of music accounts for the plattery's decision.

"Shine" Hits Top Thru Promotion To Ops

NEW YORK—"The proof of the pudding is in the pie".

That was the case with the click recording of the oldie "Shine" this past week.

Re-issuance of the oldie boomed tremendously the past few weeks, and the songs popularity has grown to such an extent, that it is currently included in the best-selling lists of all platteries with a disk.

Disk execs and promotion men were stymied recently when the bulk of the disk jockeys of the nation refused to play the record, claiming that some of the lyrics were intolerant.

Meanwhile, music operators were featuring the tune and constantly receiving heavy calls for it. Pluggers on the song, started concentrating on music operators and some expressed amazement at what the phonos did. Juke box promotion certainly seems to have paid off, since the heavy winner on the recording, Frankie Laine on Mercury, has already passed 300,000 sales.



1 ANYTIME
Eddy Arnold
(Victor 20-2700)

2 CLOSED FOR REPAIRS
Bob Wills
(MGM 10139)

3 PEEPIN' THRU THE KEYHOLE
Johnny Tyler
(Victor 20-2620)

4 WALTZ OF THE WIND
Roy Acuff
(Columbia 38042)

5 SLAP 'ER DOWN AGIN, PAW
Esmerelda
(Musicraft 524)

ADDITIONAL TUNES LISTED BELOW IN ORDER OF POPULARITY

DECK OF CARDS
"T" Texas Tyler
(4-Star 1228)

BUBBLES IN MY BEER
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(MGM 10116)

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1 ALL MY LOVE BELONGS TO YOU
Bull Moose Jackson
(King 4189)

2 FINE BROWN FRAME
Nellie Lutcher
(Capitol 15032)

3 TOMORROW NIGHT
Lonnie Johnson
(King 4201)

4 35-30
Paul Williams Sextet
(Savoy)

5 BUBBLES
Bill Moore
(Savoy 662)

6 WHEN I GROW TOO OLD TO DREAM
Arnett Cobb
(Apollo 775)

7 I LOVE YOU YES I DO
Bull Moose Jackson
(King 4181)

8 INFLATION BLUES
Louis Jordan
(Decca 24381)

9 GOOD ROCKING TONIGHT
Wynonie Harris
(King 4210)

10 KING SIZE PAPA
Julia Lee
(Capitol 40082)

Philly Ops Select "Toolie Oolie Doolie" As Click Tune

PHILADELPHIA, PA. — The Click Tune Party of the Eastern Pa. music operators assn. here, was one of the most enjoyable ever yet held.

Not only did Frank Palumbo of the Click Theatre Cafe entertain all the kids who attended this affair in royal fashion, but, the disk jockeys, the operators and the association's execs reported that the party was one of the greatest successes in all of their history.

Surprisingly, the kids all voted unanimously for the new tune sensation, "Toolie Oolie Doolie" and this tune now leads off in the No. 1 position in all the automatic music machines in this area.

Jack Sheppard, prexy of the operators' assn. here stated, "The kids picked one of the greatest moneymaking tunes in our history."

Apollo Records Buy Hot String-Band Wax

NEW YORK — Ralph Berson, general salesmanager of Apollo Records, announced that the diskery had taken over the manufacture and distribution of 3 masters of songs that are climbing in the market at the present time.

Apollo purchased the disk "Raisens And Almonds" backed by "Ol Poppa Zudick" featuring Hal Kipling with the Bell-Aires, from the Scott Record Co., this city, with production for the Apollo label already underway.

In a deal consummated last week, Apollo bought 2 masters from the Parade Record Co. of Philadelphia, specialists in banjo records, and will take over numbers currently skyrocketing on the market: "Baby Face", paired with "Down In Jungle Town" and "Heartbreaker" backed by "Bye Bye Blackbird".



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Mooney Listens To "Baby" On New Wurlitzer Model 1100



NEW YORK - Art Mooney, now at the Roxy Theatre, took time out to call on Young Distributing Co., this city, Wurlitzer factory distrib, to listen to his latest sensation "Baby Face", as it sounds on the new Wurlitzer 1100.

From left to right: Dan Kipnis, Ben Epsy, Art Mooney,

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Music Operators In Los Angeles, Cal.

1 ALL MY LOVE
BELONGS TO YOU
Bull Moose Jackson
(King 4189)

2 YOU DON'T LOVE ME
Camille Howard
(Specialty 307)

3 FINE BROWN FRAME
Nellie Lutcher
(Capitol 15032)

4 TEAR DROP BLUES
Jimmy Liggins
(Specialty 521)

5 INFIATION BLUES
Louis Jordan
(Decca 24381)

6 RECESS IN HEAVEN
Dan Grissom
(Jewel 2004)

7 TOMORROW NIGHT
Lonnie Johnson
(King 4201)

8 I LOVE YOU YES
I DO
Bull Moose Jackson
(King 4181)

9 I WANT A LITTLE
GIRL
T-Bone Walker
(Black & White)

10 WRITE ME A LETTER
The Ravens
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Majestic Newark Plant Continues Disk Operation; Ops Laud Biscuit

NEWARK, N. J. — Contrary to existing trade rumors that Majestic Records is not operating its Newark plant, The Cash Box learned this past week that the plattery was quite active. Factory representatives disclosed that the plant is continuing to press and is experiencing a heavy demand for several platters.

General distributor reaction to the diskery in its present position

was learned to be very enthusiastic. Meanwhile music operators contacted expressed very good reports concerning the Majestic platter—and its durability. Ops continue to buy their recordings.

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1 BUBBLES
Bill Moore
(Savoy 6621)

2 ALL MY LOVE
BELONGS TO YOU
Bull Moose Jackson
(King)

3 THERE'S NO YOU
The Ravens
(National 90421)

4 FINE BROWN FRAME
Nellie Lutcher
(Capitol 150321)

5 35-30
Paul Williams Sextet
(Savoy 6611)

6 HEY LITTLE GIRL
Paul Cayten
(DeLuxe 1138)

7 IF I SHOULD LOSE YOU
Emile Jones
(Staff)

8 UNION MAN BLUES
Andrew Tibbs
(Aristocrat 11011)

9 CORN SHUCKS BLUES
Little Miss Corn Shucks
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"Folk" and "Western" RECORD REVIEWS

BULLSEYE of the WEEK

"WHEN MY BABY DOUBLE TALKS
TO ME"

"KENTUCKY MEANS PARADISE"
Merle Travis
(Capitol 40100)

Pair of click tunes by Merle Travis spill here and beckon coin play in a big way. Top deck is the one that will go all out to grab the coin, as it spins in lively mood with excellent orchestral backing throughout. . You'll likewise go for the bright vocal spot, with Merle pitching pipes in top notch manner. Flip is a relaxed piece of wax and as such should meet with wide approval. Take into account Merle's wide following and you've got a coin-culler.

"POPPIN' BUBBLE GUM"

"OLE MOTHER NATURE"
Lonzo & Oscar
(Victor 20-2765)

Pair of lively novelty sides by the rapidly rising Lonzo & Oscar - and a pair of potential winners. Both sides are loaded with laughter with the duo's rendition sparkling all the way. Grab the titles offered here and you almost have the wax story. Ops will have to listen to it to fully appreciate it. Hop on the bandwagon - it's bound to prove worthy.

"TIRED LITTLE DOGIES"

"COWGIRL POLKA"
Bobby Gregory
(MGM 10172)

Pair of fashionable sides spill here by the capable Bobby Gregory and show as good filler material for the phonos. Top deck is some folk jazz with adequate vocal by Bobby. On the flip we find a nice spot of muted horn, ably rounding out the polka wax. Lend an ear in this direction and whirl it.



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Bullmoose Jackson
(King)

2 TOMORROW NIGHT
Lonnie Johnson
(King 4201)

3 KING SIZE PAPA
Julia Lee
(Capitol 40082)

4 FINE BROWN FRAME
Nellie Lutcher
(Capitol 15032)

5 35 - 30
Paul Williams Sextet
(Savoy 661)

6 I LOVE YOU YES I DO
Bull Moose Jackson
(King 4181)

7 HONEY, HONEY, HONEY
Hadda Brooks
(Modern 157)

8 BARNYARD BOOGIE
Louis Jordan
(Decca 24300)

9 KEEP A DOLLAR IN YOUR POCKET
Roy Milton
(Specialty)

10 WRITE ME A LETTER
The Ravens
(National 9042)

Philly Ops to Boom Jurgens' Disk

PHILA., PA.—Ops here are going to make a very special feature of the new Dick Jurgens' disk, "Mama's Gone Good-Bye" backed by "Side By Side".

Philly's ops caught Jurgens at the Cafe Rouge in New York and listened to the tune here for the first time. Since then they came together to feature it for Dick.



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Moe Lorre Dies

NEW YORK - Maurice Lorre, head of the Band and Orchestra Department of Edward B. Marks Music Corp., died on Tuesday, March 23, at the Rockaway Beach Hospital.

Lorre, affectionately known as "Moe" to thousands of people in and out of the music business, had been ill for only a short time. He was born in England 59 years ago, and from an early age was associated with music.

Lorre leaves a widow, an 88 year old mother, a sister, a son, a daughter, and a grandson.

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HIT Tunes for April

On Records

ALL DRESSED UP WITH A BROKEN HEART

(Marks)

Peggy Lee—Cap. 15022 • Buddy Clark—Col. 37985
 Bob Houston—MGM 10112 • Alan Gerard—Nat. 7019
 John Laurenz—Mercury 5093 • Alan Dale—Sig. 15174
 The Five Bars—Bullet 1009 • Jack Owens—Tower 1263
 The Vanguards—Universal 34 • Phil Reed—Dance-Tone 176
 Russ Morgan—Dec. 24339 • Eddy Howard—Maj. 1236
 Bill Johnson—Vic. 20-2749 • Jerry Cooper—Diamond 2090

DREAM PEDDLER, THE

(Peer)

Frankie Carle—Col. 38036 • Sammy Kaye—Vic. 20-2652
 Hal Derwin—Cap. 481 • Snooky Lanson—Merc.*
 Del Courtney—Vitacoustic *

FOOL THAT I AM

(Hill & Range—Mutual)

Dinah Shore—Col. 37952 • Sammy Kaye—Vic. 20-2601
 Billy Eckstine—MGM 10097 • Erskine Hawkins—Vic. 20-2470
 Dinah Washington—Merc. 8050 • Gladys Palmer—Miracle 104
 Georgia Gibbs—Maj. 12013 • Brooks Brothers—Dec. 48049
 The Ravens—Nat. 9040

I WANT TO CRY

(Excelsior)

Chris Cross—Sterling 4004 • Savannah Churchill—Manor 1129
 Dinah Washington—Mercury *

IT'S EASY WHEN YOU KNOW HOW

(Pemora)

Joan Edwards—Vita. 932 • John Paris—Vic. 26-9027
 Buddy Clark—Xavier Cugat—Col. 38135 • Blue Barron—MGM*
 Eddie Ballantine—Tower *

WOULDN'T BE SURPRISED

(Republic)

Harry Cool—Merc. 5080 • Sammy Kaye—Vic. 20-2761

LET'S BE SWEETHEARTS AGAIN

(Campbell-Porgie)

Margaret Whiting—Cap. 15010 • Victor Lombardo—Maj. 7269
 Blue Barron—MGM 10121 • Shep Fields—Musicraft 525
 Guy Lombardo—Monica Lewis—Dec. 24298 • Bill Johnson—Vic. 20-2591

LOVE IS SO TERRIFIC

(Mellin)

Les Brown—Col. 38060 • Art Lund—MGM 10126
 Helen Carroll & Satisfiers—Vic. 20-2672
 Ernie Felice Quartet—Cap. 486 • Vic Damone—Mercury 5104

PASSING FANCY

(BMI)

Vaughn Monroe—Vic. 20-2573 • Ray Dorey—Maj. 1186
 Johnny Johnston—MGM 10127 • Frances Langford—Mercury 5095

TERESA

(Duchess)

Dick Haymes—Andrews Sisters—Dec. 24320 • Kay Kyser—Col. 38067
 Jack Smith—Cap. 484 • Vic Damone—Mercury 5092
 Do-Ray-Me Trio—Com. 7504 • Jan Garber—Tower 1435
 Three Blazers—Exclusive 261 • Joe Loss—Vic. 20-2819

WHO PUT THAT DREAM IN YOUR EYES

Mark Warnow—Coast 8026 • Ray Carter—Rep. 122 (Stuart)
 Jack McLean—Coast 8015

WHY DOES IT HAVE TO RAIN ON SUNDAY

(Johnstone)

Freddy Martin—Vic. 20-2557 • Snooky Lanson—Merc. 5082
 Dennis Day—Vic. 20-2377 • Milt Herth Trio—Dec. 24388

YOU'RE GONNA GET MY LETTER IN THE MORNING

(London)

Mary Osborne—Dec. 24308 • Guy Lombardo—Dec.*
 Adrian Rollini—Bullet 1023

YOU'VE CHANGED

(Melody Lane)

Harry James—Dick Haymes—Col. 36412
 Anne Shelton—London 118 • Adele Clark—Dec. 24352
 Frankie Laine—Atlas 236 • King Cole Trio—Cap.*
 Joan Edwards—Vita. • Mary Osborne—Aladdin 3010

*Soon to be released.

Rollin' Round

RANDOLPH

CHICAGO - Nellie Lutchler at the Oriental slinging 'em at the crowd and gettin' big applause for her "Fine Brown Frame" which is clicking in the jukes everywhere in the country.....And Tito Guizar who's a terrific favorite of the ops in Mexico City with his disks tops in their juke boxes pleasing plenty at the Oriental, too.....Evelyn Aron of Aristocrat Records advises that they will soon become distribbers of their own races disks....Lots of interest in the forthcoming Peggy Lee stay at the State-Lake.. with juke box ops all set to barge down on that grand Lee gal to say "thanks" for her great platters.

Leo Rabin of Tower advises that they'll be sellin' popcorn to the tune of his "Pop Corn Polka" at Wrigley Field this summer....Paul Williams who's clickin' and clickin' in the race spots round this town will open with his sextet at Savoy Ballroom soon.. Seymour Heller of Gabbe, Lutz & Heller, flew to town this past week..he's gonna travel with the Mercury Caravan for a few days, just to listen to Frankie Laine.....Big party this past Sattdy aft'noon at the Boulevard Rm to welcome Chuck Foster and his ork.... the entire Mercury gang was present.

Burl Adams around town with his vocal lovely Kay Starr who is now appearing at the College Inn.....Guy Lombardo & his Canadians will soon make an appearance at the TrianonEddy Howard wowed 'em this Easter Sunday.....when he opened at the Aragon..his favorite stampin' grounds... what a welcome...what a welcome the Aragoners gave the Juke Box King....Little Miss Corn Shucks, who's clickin' but big on the south side... opens in the Beige Room of.. Pershing Hotel here.....Joe Sudy doin' a grand job at the Bismarck Walnut Room and lookin' forward to the time when his disks will click... Lee Monti of the Tu-Tones advises the boys are on the way to Noo Yawk to show the Broadway Beat how it's done.

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 CITY BY CITY
 (JUKE BOX REGIONAL
 RECORD REPORT)

New York

1. FOUR LEAF CLOVER (Art Mooney)

3. BABY FACE (Art Mooney)

5. BUT BEAUTIFUL (Margaret Whiting)
6. THOUGHTLESS (Vic Damone)
7. THE THOUSAND ISLANDS SONG (Louis Prima)
8. TERESA (Vic Damone)
9. BEG YOUR PARDON (Francis Craig)
10. NOW IS THE HOUR (Bing Crosby)

Chicago

1. FOUR LEAF CLOVER (Art Mooney)

2. BEG YOUR PARDON (Francis Craig)

3. NOW IS THE HOUR (Eddy Howard)

4. MANANA (Peggy Lee)

5. BUT BEAUTIFUL (Margaret Whiting)

6. SHINE (Frankie Laine)

7. GOLDEN EARRINGS (Peggy Lee)

9. BABY FACE (Art Mooney)

Los Angeles

1. FOUR LEAF CLOVER (Art Mooney)

2. NOW IS THE HOUR (Eddy Howard)

3. SHINE (Frankie Laine)

4. BUT BEAUTIFUL (Margaret Whiting)

5. GOLDEN EARRINGS (Peggy Lee)

6. MANANA (Peggy Lee)

7. BECAUSE (Perry Como)

8. THOUGHTLESS (Buddy Kaye)

10. BABY FACE (Art Mooney)

Rochester, N. Y.

1. FOUR LEAF CLOVER (Art Mooney)

2. NOW IS THE HOUR (Bing Crosby)

3. MANANA (Peggy Lee)

4. GOLDEN EARRINGS (Peggy Lee)

5. BALLERINA (Vaughn Monroe)

6. I'M MY OWN GRANDPAW (Guy Lombardo)

Phoenix, Ariz.

1. FOUR LEAF CLOVER (Art Mooney)

2. HOW SOON (Jack Owens)

3. OOOH LOOKA THERE AIN'T SHE PRETTY (Buddy Clark)

4. SERENADE OF THE BELLS (Guy Lombardo)

6. BABY FACE (Art Mooney)

8. NOW IS THE HOUR (Eddy Howard)

9. I'LL DANCE AT YOUR WEDDING (Buddy Clark)

10. I WISH I KNEW THE NAME (Mills Bros.)

Omaha, Nebr.

1. FOUR LEAF CLOVER (Art Mooney)

2. NOW IS THE HOUR (Eddy Howard)

3. BEG YOUR PARDON (Frankie Carle)

5. BABY FACE (Art Mooney)

7. BALLERINA (Vaughn Monroe)

8. I'LL DANCE AT YOUR WEDDING (Buddy Clark)

9. TERESA (Vic Damone)

10. TWO LOVES HAVE I (Perry Como)

Charlotte, N. C.

1. FOUR LEAF CLOVER (Russ Morgan)

2. BYE, BYE, BLACKBIRD (Russ Morgan)

3. FOOL THAT I AM (Billy Eckstein)

4. THE BEST THINGS IN LIFE ARE FREE (The Ink Spots)

5. NOW IS THE HOUR (Gracie Fields)

6. IF I ONLY HAD A MATCH (Al Jolson)

7. SHINE (Frankie Laine)

9. BABY FACE (Art Mooney)

Butte, Mont.

1. FOUR LEAF CLOVER (Art Mooney)

2. NOW IS THE HOUR (Eddy Howard)

3. I'LL HOLD YOU IN MY HEART (Eddy Arnold)

5. BABY FACE (Art Mooney)

7. I'M MY OWN GRANDMAW (Jo Stafford)

8. BALLERINA (Vaughn Monroe)

9. HOW SOON (Jack Owens)

10. SHINE (Frankie Laine)

Stamford, Conn.

1. FOUR LEAF CLOVER (Art Mooney)

2. BEG YOUR PARDON (Francis Craig)

3. NOW IS THE HOUR (Bing Crosby)

4. SABRE DANCE BOOGIE (Freddy Martin)

5. BECAUSE (Perry Como)

6. ST. LOUIS BLUES MARCH (Tex Beneke)

8. BABY FACE (Art Mooney)

10. HOW SOON (Jack Owens)

Miami, Fla.

1. FOUR LEAF CLOVER (Art Mooney)

2. SHINE (Frankie Laine)

3. TERESA (Vic Damone)

4. BALLERINA (Vaughn Monroe)

6. BABY FACE (Art Mooney)

7. I'LL DANCE AT YOUR WEDDING (Buddy Clark)

8. HOW SOON (Jack Owens)

9. SABRE DANCE (Don Henry)

10. SERENADE OF THE BELLS (Sammy Kaye)



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MGM STUDYING PRICE HIKE

NEW YORK — MGM Records are expected to boost the list price of their recordings in the near future, from the current 60¢ price to the standard 75¢ list, now being charged by the other major recording companies. Decca, Capitol, Columbia, and RCA-Victor price their label at 75¢ in the popular field.

MGM execs were learned to be studying the price hike this past week, and altho no statement was issued by the plattery, many in the disk biz took the attitude that the increase in price would be forthcoming very shortly.

By keeping their list price at the present 60¢, MGM has more or less made established good will in the operator and distrib channels. Their distrib chains have increased in leaps and bounds in the past year, with the company learned to be spreading out more so. Music ops benefited vastly by the 60¢ label, with MGM certainly taking this very important factor in account during their present studies.

Meanwhile, the plattery continued to experience tremendous sales volume thru their click hits by orkster Art Mooney. "Four Leaf Clover" and "Baby Face" seemed certain to run into a total sales of more than one million.

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"SONG OF THE ISLANDS"
Columbia 37862
(C-148)

on COLUMBIA RECORDS

Specialty Names Davis National Sales Mgr.

HOLLYWOOD, CAL.— Art Rupe, president of Specialty Records Co., this week announced the appointment of John W. Davis as National Sales & Promotion Manager.

Davis, who was with the Musicraft Record Co., prior to his heading the Central Record Dist. Co. in this city, will leave shortly on a national tour to coordinate Specialty activities and appoint new distributors wherever territories are open.

Rupe, who plans to meet his new sales chief in New Orleans in a few weeks, expressed great confidence in Davis' future with the firm and stated, "We are sure that Mr. Davis will prove himself to be very valuable to the firm. During ten years as an operator and a distributor and promotion expert, Davis has shown qualities which will prove him to be an asset for Specialty Records."

Victor Issues "You Can't Be True" - Hit Tune

NEW YORK — Climbing on the bandwagon of the current click ditty "You Can't Be True, Dear", by Ken Griffin on Rondo Records, RCA-Victor this past week was learned to be readying the disk for early release. Victor will take their German version, recently found in their catalog, and dub in the vocal chorus. They plan on using a background of harmonicas for the instrumental chorus. The original disk, by Will Glahe, who scored on the RCA International disk of "Beer Barrel Polka" is titled, "Du Kenst Nicht Treu Sein".

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LOTUS LAND
INTERMEZZO
"Souvenir de Vienne"
M-G-M 30063 75¢

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Orchestra conducted by
Johnny Thompson

SOMEONE CARES
FOR EVERY MAN THERE'S
A WOMAN
(From the Universal-International picture "Casbah")
M-G-M 10170 60¢

BOB HOUSTON

LAROO, LAROO, LILLI BOLERO
Orchestra conducted by Jerry Sears
I STILL LOVE YOU
With the Quartones
Orchestra conducted by Hugo Winterhalter
M-G-M 10166 60¢

GEORGE PAXTON
and his Orchestra

I'VE ONLY MYSELF TO BLAME
THE LOVELINESS OF YOU
Both vocals by Dick Merrick
M-G-M 10169 60¢

THE BEALE STREET BOYS

TEACH ME, TEACH ME, BABY
WHY DOES IT HAVE TO RAIN
ON SUNDAY
M-G-M 10141 60¢

HANK WILLIAMS
With his Drifting Cowboys

I'LL BE A BACHELOR 'TIL I DIE
HONKY TONKIN
M-G-M 10171 60¢

BOBBY GREGORY
With his Coctus Cowboys


COWGIRL POLKA
TIRED LITTLE DOGIES
M-G-M 10172 60¢

M-G-M COIN CATCHERS

ART MOONEY'S *Baby Face* M-G-M 10156
BILLY ECKSTINE'S *Intrigue* M-G-M 10154
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BOX SCORE TABULATION COMPILED ON THE AVERAGE
INDIVIDUAL PURCHASE ON THE BASIS OF 1000 RE-
CORDS—LISTED IN ORDER OF POPULARITY, INCLUDING
NAME OF SONG, RECORD NUMBER, ARTISTS, AND RE-
CORDING ON THE REVERSE SIDE.

CODE

AL—Aladdin	JD—Joe Davis	RA—Rainbow
AP—Apollo	KI—King	RE—Regent
AR—Aristocrat	LI—Lissen	SA—Savoy
BU—Bullet	LO—London	SI—Signature
CA—Capitol	MA—Majestic	SP—Specialty
CE—Celebrity	ME—Mercury	SN—Standard Phono
CN—Continental	MG—M-G-M	ST—Sterling
CO—Columbia	MI—Miracle	TR—Trilon
CS—Coast	MN—Manor	UN—Universal
DE—Decca	MO—Modern	VI—Victor
DEL—DeLuxe	MU—Musicraft	VT—Vitacoustic
EX—Exclusive	NA—National	

April 3 Mar 27 Mar 20

1—New Is the Hour 148.4 171.6 163.6

CA-15024—MARGARET WHITING
But Beautiful
CO-38061—HORACE HEIDT O.
I'll Never Say I Love You
CO-38115—BUDDY CLARK
Peculiar
DE-24279—BING CROSBY
Silver Threads Among The Gold
LO-110—GRACIE FIELDS
Come Back To Sorrento
ME-5103—LES PAUL TRIO
My Extraordinary Gal
MG-10125—KATE SMITH
I'll Never Say I Love You
MU-532—SHEP FIELDS O.
Lone Star Moon
MA-119J—EDDY HOWARD O.
True
SI-15178—RAY BLOCH O.
Nina-Nana
VI-20-2704—CHARLIE SPIVAK O.
Who Are We To Say

2—Manana 125.8 124.4 92.2

CA-15022—PEGGY LEE
All Dressed Up With A Broken Heart
DE-24333—THE MILLS BROS.
I Wish I Knew The Name
LO-187—EDMUNDO ROSS
The Coconut
VI 20-2819 JOE LOSS O.
Teresa

3—I'm Looking Over 115.6 123.4 84.4
a Four Leaf Clover

CA-491—ALVINO REY ORCH.
Spanish Cavalier
CO-38100—JINNY HILL ORCH.
Show Me The Way To Go Home
CO-38082—CODY FOX
I Only Want A Buddy

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CO-38081—ARTHUR GODFREY
The Thousand Islands Song
DE-24319—RUSS MORGAN ORCH.
Bye Bye Blackbird
ME-5100—UPTOWN STRING BAND
ME-5105—FRANKIE LAINE
MG-10119—ART MOONEY ORCH.
The Big Brass Band From Brazil
MU-543—THE POLKA DOTS
RA-10043—JIMMY SAUNDERS
Heart Breaker
SI-15117—RAY BLOCH ORCH.
But Beautiful
TR-220—ALEXANDER ORCH.
VI-20-2668—THE THREE SUNS
Eccentric
VI-20-2787—CURLY HICKS
Limehouse Blues

4—Beg Your Pardon 96.9 100.4 87.0

BU-1700—FRANCIS CRAIG O.
CA-490—DINNING SISTERS
Melancholy
CO-38036—FRANKIE CARLE O.
The Dream Peddler
DE-24339—RUSS MORGAN O.
All Dressed Up With A Broken Heart
ME-5109—SNOOKY LANSON
MG-10140—ART MOONEY ORCH.
VI-20-2647—LARRY GREEN O.
Can It Ever Be The Same

5—Sabre Dance 65.8 40.8 23.9

CO-38102—WOODY HERMAN O.
Swing Low, Sweet Chariot
DE-24388—VICTOR YOUNG O.
For Whom The Bell Tolls
MG-30048—MACKLIN MARROW
SI-15180—RAY BLOCH O.
Minuet In G

RE 111 — Don Henry Trio
Turnpike Polka

6—Because 32.9 41.8 19.5

VI-20-2653—PERRY COMO
If You Had All The World And Its Gold

7—Thoughtless 32.0 13.9 11.7

CA-15027—GORDON MacRAE
You Were Meant For Me
CO-38079—DORIS DAY
I've Only Myself To Blame
CS-8039—CURT MASSEY
DE-24318—GUY LOMBARDO O.
I'll Dance At Your Wedding
LO-143—THE SQUADRONAIRES
That Feathery Feelin'
MA-1234—GEORGE OLSON O.
The Dickey Bird Song
ME-5104—VIC DAMONE
Love Is So Terrific

8—Golden Earrings 29.3 38.8 48.1

CA-15009—PEGGY LEE
I'll Dance at Your Wedding
CO-37932—DINAH SHORE
The Gentleman Is a Dope
DE-24278—BING CROSBY
Ballerina
DE-24277—VICTOR YOUNG ORCH.
All Through the Night
DE-24270—GUY LOMBARDO ORCH.
You Are Never Away
ME-3072—ANITA ELLIS
Love for Love
MG-10085—JACK FINA ORCH.
VI-20-2585—CHARLIE SPIVAK ORCH.
Tenderly

9—Haunted Heart 26.7 13.1 15.6

CA-15023—JO STAFFORD
I'm My Own Grandmaw
CO-38083—BUDDY CLARK
Matinee
DE-24362—GUY LOMBARDO O.
Saturday Night In Central Park
DE-24370—BING CROSBY
Moonlight On A White Picket Fence
VI-20-2713—PERRY COMO
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ADDRESS

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10—I'm My Own Grandpa 25.9 17.9 24.1

CO-38068—TONY PASTOR O.
The Secretary Song
DE-24288—GUY LOMBARDO O.
Frankie & Johnny
KI-694—GRANDPA JONES
ME-6087—TINY HILL O.
The Eyes of Texas
MG-10136—THE KORN KOBBLERS
MU-536—ESMERELDY
TC-20-33—THE JESTERS
VI-20-2563—LONZO & OSCAR

11—But Beautiful 24.4 39.8 51.3

CA-15024—MARGARET WHITING
Now Is The Hour
CO-38053—FRANK SINATRA
If I Only Had a Match
DE-24283—BING CROSBY
The One I Love
DE-24294—BING CROSBY
Experience
LO-142—DENNY DENNIS
A Bed of Roses
ME-5096—FRANKIE LAINE
I've Only Myself To Blame
MG-10126—ART LUND
Love Is So Terrific
MU-538—MEL TORME
Night and Day
SI-15117—RAY BLOCH
Four Leaf Clover
VI-20-2616—TEX BENEKE ORCH.
You Don't Have To Know The Language

12—Serenade of the Bells 24.3 31.3 64.4

CA-75007—JO STAFFORD
The Gentleman Is A Dope
CO-37956—KAY KYSER ORCH.
Pass That Peace Pipe
CO 38076 — Gene Autry
DE-24258—GUY LOMBARDO ORCH.
Sipping Cider By The Zuyder Zee
ME-5090—VIC DAMONE
I'll Dance at Your Wedding
MG-10091—BOB HUSTON
A Tune For Humming
VI-20-2372—SAMMY KAYE ORCH.
That's What Every Young Girl Should Know

13—Ballerina 24.2 28.4 83.1

CO-38040—BUDDY CLARK
It Had To Be You
DE-24265—ENRIC MADRIGUERA O.
Jungle Rhumba
DE-24278—BING CROSBY
Golden Earrings
ME-5075—JERRY SHELTON TRIO
The Stars Will Remember
MG-10035—JIMMY DORSEY O.
MU-15116—MEL TORME
What Are You Doing New Years Eve?
VI-20-2433—VAUGHN MONROE O.
The Stars Will Remember

14—Slap 'Er Down Agin, Paw 24.0 18.4 12.4

CO-38006—ARTHUR GODFREY
ME-6095—REX ALLEN
MU-524—ESMERELDY
VI-20-2686—PATSY MONTANA

15—SHINE 17.8 19.4 19.3

DE 25354 — Ella Fitzgerald
DE 25353 — Guy Lombardo O.
DE 24382 — Mills Bros.
ME 5091 — Frankie Laine
VI 20-2760 — Hot Quintette

16—Matinee 17.4 13.4 17.6

CA-15041—GORDON MacRAE
Feathery Feelin'
CO-38083—BUDDY CLARK
Haunted Heart
DE-24375—BOB EBERLY
It's All Over But The Crying
VI-20-2671—VAUGHN MONROE O.
If Someone Cares

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17—TELL ME A STORY 16.0 - -

CO 38050 — Frankie Carle O.
DE 24329 — Ames Bros.
ME 5120 — Vic Damone
MG 10144 — Bob Houston
VI 20-2761 — Sammy Kaye O.

18—LITTLE WHITE LIES 15.1 15.9 2.5

CO 38114 — Dinah Shore
DE 24280 — Dick Haymes

19—The Thousand Islands Song 14.7 13.3 16.3

CA-15028—JOHNNY MERCER
Hooray For Love
CO-38081—ARTHUR GODFREY
Four Leaf Clover
MG-10136—THE KORN KOBBLERS
VI-20-2619—LOUIS PRIMA O.
I'm Living A Lie

20—ST. LOUIS BLUES 13.4 10.9 10.4
MARCH

VI 20-2722 — Tex Beneke O.

ADDITIONAL TUNES LISTED BELOW IN ORDER OF POPULARITY

21 — Sierra Madre	13.3	7.9	18.2
22 — Baby Face	10.7	12.9	-
23 — How Soon	9.8	9.9	27.3
24 — I'll Dance At Your Wedding	9.7	5.9	24.0
25 — The Best Things In Life Are Free	8.9	7.5	7.8
26 — Pianissimo	8.7	19.5	16.9
27 — Toolie Oolie Doolie	8.6	-	-
28 — Too Fat Polka	8.5	7.4	12.3
29 — If I Only Had A Match	5.4	1.0	1.3
30 — All Dressed Up With A Broken Heart	5.3	1.0	1.4
31 — The Dickey Bird Song	4.9	1.0	6.3
32 — Lover	2.7	5.8	6.5
33 — Deck Of Cards	2.6	7.8	-
34 — Feathery Feeling	2.5	-	-
35 — Cigareetes, Whuskey & Wild Women	2.4	-	-
36 — Laroo Laroo Lilli Bolero	2.3	-	-
37 — Ok'l Baby Dok'l	1.8	7.0	-
38 — Love Is So Terrific	1.7	1.7	5.2
39 — Worry, Worry, Worry	1.2	1.9	6.4
40 — There Ought To Be A Society	1.1	1.6	-

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The Ten Top Records-City by City

April 10, 1948

NEW YORK

1. BECAUSE (Perry Como)
2. BUT BEAUTIFUL (Margaret Whiting)
3. BABY FACE (Art Mooney)
4. NOW IS THE HOUR (Bing Crosby)
5. TOOLIE OOLIE DOOLIE (V. Horton)
6. SHINE (Frankie Laine)
7. SABER DANCE (Don Henry Trio)
8. HELEN POLKA (Walt Dana)
9. FOUR LEAF CLOVER (Art Mooney)
10. BEG YOUR PARDON (Francis Craig)

CHICAGO, ILL.

1. NOW IS THE HOUR (Bing Crosby)
2. BEG YOUR PARDON (Francis Craig)
3. FOUR LEAF CLOVER (Art Mooney)
4. TERESA (Vic Damone)
5. MANANA (Peggy Lee)
6. BUT BEAUTIFUL (Margaret Whiting)
7. SABER DANCE (Woody Herman)
8. TOOLIE OOLIE DOOLIE (V. Horton)
9. BABY FACE (Art Mooney)
10. THOUGHTLESS (Vic Damone)

LOS ANGELES, CALIF.

1. SABER DANCE (Macklin Marrow)
2. BUT BEAUTIFUL (Margaret Whiting)
3. TERESA (Vic Damone)
4. BECAUSE (Perry Como)
5. NOW IS THE HOUR (Bing Crosby)
6. FOUR LEAF CLOVER (Art Mooney)
7. BEG YOUR PARDON (Francis Craig)
8. MATINEE (Vaughn Monroe)
9. MANANA (Peggy Lee)
10. SHINE (Frankie Laine)

SOUTH HAVEN, MICH.

1. BEG YOUR PARDON (Francis Craig)
2. MANANA (Peggy Lee)
3. FOUR LEAF CLOVER (Art Mooney)
4. NOW IS THE HOUR (Bing Crosby)
5. TOOLIE OOLIE DOOLIE (V. Horton)
6. BABY FACE (Art Mooney)
7. BUT BEAUTIFUL (Bing Crosby)
8. SHINE (Frankie Laine)
9. YOU'RE TOO DANGEROUS (Buddy Clark)
10. BALLERINA (Vaughn Monroe)

HONOLULU, HAWAII

1. NOW IS THE HOUR (Margaret Whiting)
2. FOUR LEAF CLOVER (Art Mooney)
3. MANANA (Peggy Lee)
4. BEG YOUR PARDON (Dinning Sisters)
5. SERENADE OF THE BELLS (Jo Stafford)
6. BALLERINA (Vaughn Monroe)
7. GOLDEN EARRINGS (Peggy Lee)
8. TERESA (Dick Haymes)
9. OH FLORENCE (Louis Prima)
10. BECAUSE (Perry Como)

MANCHESTER, N. H.

1. MANANA (Peggy Lee)
2. SHINE (Frankie Laine)
3. BABY FACE (Art Mooney)
4. BECAUSE (Perry Como)
5. TERESA (Vic Damone)
6. SIERRA MADRE (Freddy Martin)
7. TOOLIE OOLIE DOOLIE (V. Horton)
8. SABRE DANCE (Woody Herman)
9. GOLDEN EARRINGS (Peggy Lee)
10. FOUR LEAF CLOVER (Art Mooney)

STAMFORD, CONN.

1. TOOLIE OOLIE DOOLIE (V. Horton)
2. MANANA (Peggy Lee)
3. SHINE (Frankie Laine)
4. BEG YOUR PARDON (Frankie Carle)
5. OH FLORENCE (Louis Prima)
6. BECAUSE (Perry Como)
7. LITTLE WHITE LIES (Dick Haymes)
8. MATINEE (Vaughn Monroe)
9. BABY FACE (Art Mooney)
10. NOW IS THE HOUR (Gracie Fields)

CHARLOTTE, N. C.

1. NOW IS THE HOUR (Bing Crosby)
2. BALLERINA (Vaughn Monroe)
3. BABY FACE (Art Mooney)
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6. THOUGHTLESS (Vic Damone)
7. SIERRA MADRE (Freddy Martin)
8. SABER DANCE (Woody Herman)
9. BEG YOUR PARDON (Francis Craig)
10. BUT BEAUTIFUL (Bing Crosby)

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1. NOW IS THE HOUR (Margaret Whiting)
2. FOUR LEAF CLOVER (Art Mooney)
3. MANANA (Peggy Lee)
4. BUT BEAUTIFUL (Tex Beneke)
5. I'M MY OWN GRANDPAW (Lonzo & Oscar)
6. HOW SOON (Jack Owens)
7. SIERRA MADRE (Freddy Martin)
8. BEG YOUR PARDON (Francis Craig)
9. OH FLORENCE (Louis Prima)
10. EASTER PARADE (Andy Russell)

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1. NOW IS THE HOUR (Bing Crosby)
2. MANANA (Peggy Lee)
3. SHINE (Frankie Laine)
4. LITTLE WHITE LIES (Dick Haymes)
5. BEG YOUR PARDON (Francis Craig)
6. FOUR LEAF CLOVER (Art Mooney)
7. SABRE DANCE (Woody Herman)
8. ST. LOUIS BLUES MARCH (Beneke)
9. I'LL HATE TO LOSE YOU (Andrews Sis.)
10. OH FLORENCE (Louis Prima)

OMAHA, NEBR.

1. NOW IS THE HOUR (Eddy Howard)
2. FOUR LEAF CLOVER (Russ Morgan)
3. MANANA (Peggy Lee)
4. SHINE (Frankie Laine)
5. SIERRA MADRE (Dick Haymes)
6. BEG YOUR PARDON (Frankie Carle)
7. TERESA (Vic Damone)
8. OH FLORENCE (Louis Prima)
9. BUT BEAUTIFUL (Margaret Whiting)
10. BABY FACE (Art Mooney)

MILWAUKEE, WISC.

1. MANANA (Peggy Lee)
2. NOW IS THE HOUR (Margaret Whiting)
3. SHINE (Frankie Laine)
4. LOVER (Les Paul)
5. BUT BEAUTIFUL (Bing Crosby)
6. FINE BROWN FRAME (Nellie Lutcher)
7. FOUR LEAF CLOVER (Art Mooney)
8. PIANISSIMO (Perry Como)
9. BECAUSE (Perry Como)
10. OH FLORENCE (Louis Prima)

SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS

1. NOW IS THE HOUR (Bing Crosby)
2. MANANA (Peggy Lee)
3. BALLERINA (Vaughn Monroe)
4. FOUR LEAF CLOVER (Art Mooney)
5. HOW SOON (Vaughn Monroe)
6. BEG YOUR PARDON (Francis Craig)
7. TOOLIE OOLIE DOOLIE (V. Horton)
8. BECAUSE (Perry Como)
9. GOLDEN EARRINGS (Peggy Lee)
10. SABRE DANCE (Woody Herman)

CLEVELAND, O.

1. MANANA (Peggy Lee)
2. YOU CAN'T BE TRUE DEAR (Ken Griffin)
3. NOW IS THE HOUR (Gracie Fields)
4. THOUGHTLESS (Vic Damone)
5. SHINE (Frankie Laine)
6. FOUR LEAF CLOVER (Art Mooney)
7. SABRE DANCE (Macklin Marrow)
8. BEG YOUR PARDON (Francis Craig)
9. BABY FACE (Art Mooney)
10. BALLERINA (Vaughn Monroe)

DULUTH, MINN.

1. MANANA (Peggy Lee)
2. BEG YOUR PARDON (Dinning Sis.)
3. NOW IS THE HOUR (Bing Crosby)
4. HOW SOON (Jack Owens)
5. BALLERINA (Vaughn Monroe)
6. I'M MY OWN GRANDPAW (Guy Lombardo)
7. LOVE IS SO TERRIFIC (Vic Damone)
8. BUT BEAUTIFUL (Margaret Whiting)
9. GOLDEN EARRINGS (Peggy Lee)
10. GONNA GET A GIRL (Tony Pastor)

BUFFALO, N. Y.

1. SHINE (Frankie Laine)
2. NOW IS THE HOUR (Bing Crosby)
3. LITTLE WHITE LIES (Dick Haymes)
4. SABRE DANCE (Don Henry Trio)
5. BECAUSE (Perry Como)
6. MATINEE (Vaughn Monroe)
7. MANANA (Peggy Lee)
8. BEG YOUR PARDON (Francis Craig)
9. MORE THAN EVER BEFORE (Don Reid)
10. PIANISSIMO (Perry Como)

CUMBERLAND, MD.

1. NOW IS THE HOUR (Eddy Howard)
2. LITTLE WHITE LIES (Dick Haymes)
3. FOUR LEAF CLOVER (Art Mooney)
4. MANANA (Peggy Lee)
5. HEARTBREAKER (Phyllie All Stars)
6. LAROO LAROO LILLI BOLERO (Como)
7. BECAUSE (Perry Como)
8. SABRE DANCE (Woody Herman)
9. TERESA (Vic Damone)
10. THOUGHTLESS (Vic Damone)

DES MOINES, IA.

1. BECAUSE (Perry Como)
2. SABRE DANCE (Woody Herman)
3. BUT BEAUTIFUL (Tex Beneke)
4. ST. LOUIS BLUES MARCH (Beneke)
5. NOW IS THE HOUR (Bing Crosby)
6. TERESA (Vic Damone)
7. THOUGHTLESS (Buddy Kaye)
8. MORE THAN EVER BEFORE (Don Reid)
9. BALLERINA (Vaughn Monroe)
10. BABY FACE (Art Mooney)



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A.M.I.	
Model A w/play meter	897.50
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Automatic Hostess Complete	
20 Station Unit	14,800.00
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W/Amplifier and Remote Volume Control.....	482.50
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5c 3 wire 40 selection wall box	53.50
5-10-25c 3 wire 40 selection wall box	59.50
Stepper for 10 wall boxes	39.75
Stepper for 25 wall boxes	42.75
AIREON	
Coronet 400	\$495.00
Blonde Bombshell	595.00
Fiesta DeLuxe	595.00
Super DeLuxe	595.00
48' Model Hideaway	299.50
48' Model "trio" wall and bar box.....	59.50
48' Model X — Rotomatic receiver.....	29.50
48' Model — Universal 30 wire adapter	29.50
48' Carillon Speaker	37.50
48' Melodeon Speaker	27.50
48' Impressario Speaker	19.50
FILBEN	
Miracle Cabinet	325.00
30 Selection Stowaway Mech.	398.00
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Music Box	25.00
MILLS INDUSTRIES	
Constellation	795.00
PACKARD MFG. CORP.	
Manhattan Phonograph	695.00
Hideaway Model 400	383.00
Model 1000 Spkr. — Paradise.....	129.50
Butler Wall Box Hi-Chrome 5c	32.50
Butler Wall Box Hi-Chrome 10c	33.95
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650 Speaker	16.50
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Magic-glo Phonograph	No Price Set
Model 1807 Moderne Corner Spkr.	107.50
Model 1906 Remote Volume Control	6.90
Model 1530 Wall Box	39.50
Model 1603 Wall Speaker	42.50
Model 1606 Tonette Wall Speaker	21.50
Model 1608 Tone-O-Lier Speaker	65.00
Model 1607 Tonette Wall Speaker	19.75
Model 1531 DeLuxe Bar Bracket	8.25
Model 1533 Universal Bar Bracket	3.90
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148-S Symphonola	895.00
H-148-M RC Special	564.00
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Wired Wallomatic	49.75
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Model 1080A Colonial	899.50
Model 1017A Concealed chngr. w/ stepper	529.50
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Model 3025 5¢ 3-wire	49.50
Model 3045 Wireless	59.50
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Model 212 Master Unit	70.00
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Model 4002 8" Plastic Star Speaker	45.00
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Model 4005 8" Walnut Round Speaker	22.50
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Model 4007 12" Intermediate Deluxe Speaker..	135.00
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PINS

BALLY	
Ballerina	289.50
CHICAGO COIN	
Catalina	275.00
GENCO	
Triple Action	289.50
EXHIBIT	
Banjo	No Price Set
GOTTLIEB	
Cinderella	No Price Set
MARVEL	
Gold Mine	289.50
Gold Mine w/4 play chute	299.50
J. H. KEENEY CO.	
Cover Girl	265.00
P & S MACH. CO.	
Tom Tom	299.00
UNITED MFG. CO.	
Manhattan	275.00
WILLIAMS MFG. CO.	
Tennessee	299.50

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A.B.T. MFG. CORP.	
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BALLY MFG. CO.	
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w/stand	196.50
GOTTLIEB	
DeLuxe Grip Scale	39.50
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BALLY	
Hy-Roll	499.50
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Roll Down	395.00
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Jockey Special	645.00
Jockey Club	645.00
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BELL-O-MATIC CORP.

5c Jewel Bell	248.00
10c Jewel Bell	253.00
25c Jewel Bell	258.00
50c Jewel Bell	338.00
Spinning Reels	No Price Set
Black Gold Bell	No Price Set

GROETCHEN

Columbia Twin JP	145.00
Columbia DeLuxe Club	209.50

MILLS SALES CO. LTD.

Dollar Bell	No Price Set
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O. D. JENNINGS

5c Std Chiefs	269.00
10c Std Chiefs	279.00
25c Std Chiefs	289.00
50c Bronze & Std Chiefs	399.00
5c DeLuxe Club Chiefs	299.00
10c DeLuxe Club Chiefs	309.00
25c DeLuxe Club Chiefs	319.00
25c DeLuxe Club Chief	429.00
5c Super DeLuxe Club Chief	324.00
10c Super DeLuxe Club Chief	334.00
25c Super DeLuxe Club Chief	344.00
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5c DeLuxe Chrome Bell	245.00
10c DeLuxe Chrome Bell	255.00
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\$1.00 DeLuxe Chrome Bell	550.00
5c Rocket Slug Proof	245.00
10c Rocket Slug Proof	255.00
25c Rocket Slug Proof	265.00

CONSOLES

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Double-Up	542.50
DeLuxe Draw Bell 5c	512.50
DeLuxe Draw Bell 25c	532.50
Hi-Boy	424.00
Triple Bell 5-5-5	895.00
Triple Bell 5-5-25	910.00
Triple Bell 5-10-25	925.00

BELL-O-MATIC

Three Bells, 1947	735.00
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Track Odds DD JP	1250.00
Parlay Long Shot	1250.00

EVANS

Bangtails 5c Comb 7 Coin	No Price Set
Bangtails 25c Comb 7 Coin	No Price Set
Bangtail JP	No Price Set
Bangtail FP PO JP	No Price Set
Evans Races	No Price Set
Casino Bell	No Price Set
1946 Galloping Dominoes JP	No Price Set
Winter Book JP	No Price Set

GROETCHEN TOOL & MFG. CO.

Columbia Twin Falls	485.00
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Challenger 5-25	595.00
Club Console	499.00
DeLuxe Club Console	529.00
Super DeLuxe Club Console	545.00

J. H. KEENEY CO.

Gold Nugget	800.00
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PACE

3-Way Bell Console 5c-10c-25c	\$690.00
5c Royal Console	320.00
10c Royal Console	330.00
25c Royal Console	340.00
50c Royal Console	475.00
1.00 Royal Console	650.00

ARCADE TYPE

BALLY MFG. CO.

Big Inning	539.50
Bally Bowler	539.50

H. C. EVANS CO.

Bat-A-Score	No Price Set
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EDELMAN AMUSEMENT DEVICES

Flash Bowler	
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11'-8"	450.00
10'-8"	450.00
Belgian Pool	319.50

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INTERNATIONAL MUTOSCOPE CORP.

Deluxe Movie Console	150.00
Deluxe Movie Counter	140.00
Fishing Well	375.00
Silver Gloves	375.00

PARTS AND SUPPLIES

GLASS SIZES — PIN GAMES

Bally	21 x 41
Chicago Coin	21 x 41
Exhibit	21 x 41
Gottlieb	21 x 43
Keeney	21 x 41
Marvel	21 x 41
United	21 x 41
Williams	21 x 43

COILS — PIN GAMES

WILLIAMS:

10 Ohms	W— 7
125 Ohms	W—10
200 Ohms	W—15
10-100 Ohms	W—20
W—5 w/bracket	W—28
	W—30

GOTTLIEB:

R-20-1	A20-8
R-20-4	A-580
R-20-5	R-20-2
A-20-4	R-20-3
SM20-1	C-20-1
SM20-2	C-20-3
A20-2	C-20-2
A20-3	2 make relay
A20-6	3 make relay

BALLY:

A-25	150 ohm 45v
A-26	550 ohm 115v
A-30	E-23
A-31	E-28
H-24	R-28
H-27	E-31
H-31	J-29
G-28	C-1886
O-31	C-27
W-21	C-28
W-24	C-29
90 ohm 50v	
5 ohm 6v	

CHICAGO COIN:

2876 complete	R-237
2876 brackets	R-239
2876 coil	X-299
2876 brass sleeve	X-298
P-273	U-298
X-327	O-273

UNITED:

6-23	2-24
6-28	3-23
6-29	4-24
12-23	5-25
12-24	5-28
123	

EXHIBIT:

827	628
123	525
223	528
124	1625
624	1222
629	1223
631	1224

GENCO:

24 Medium	No. 30
24 Plain	No. 29
J-102	No. 26
J-99	

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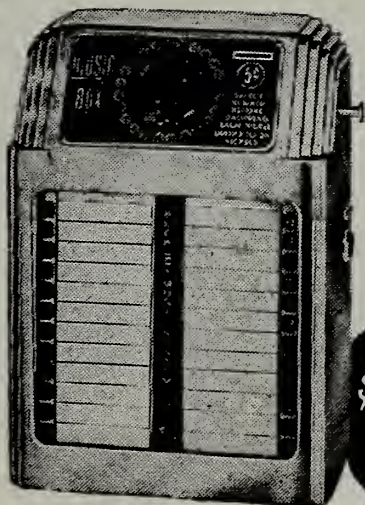
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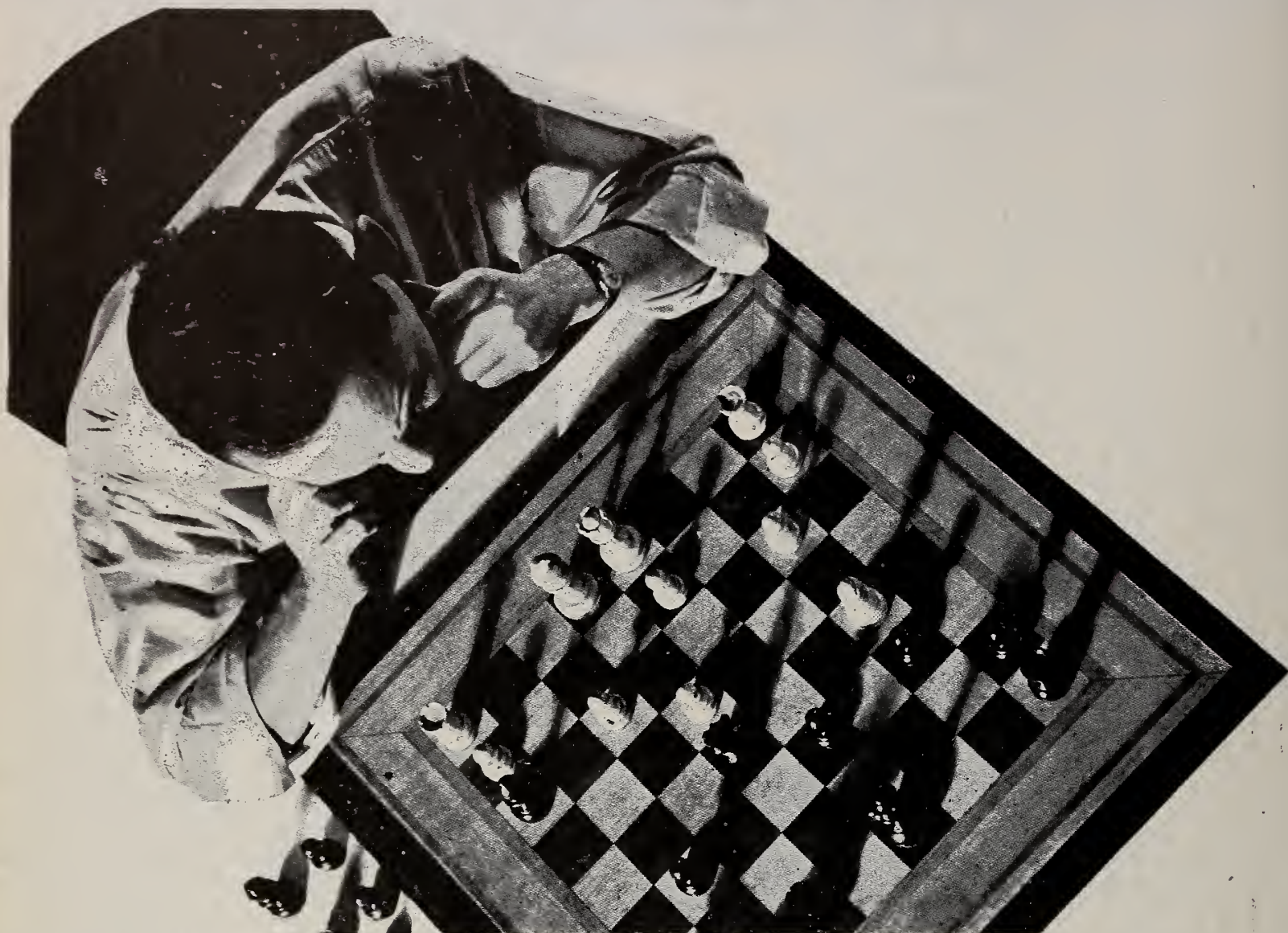
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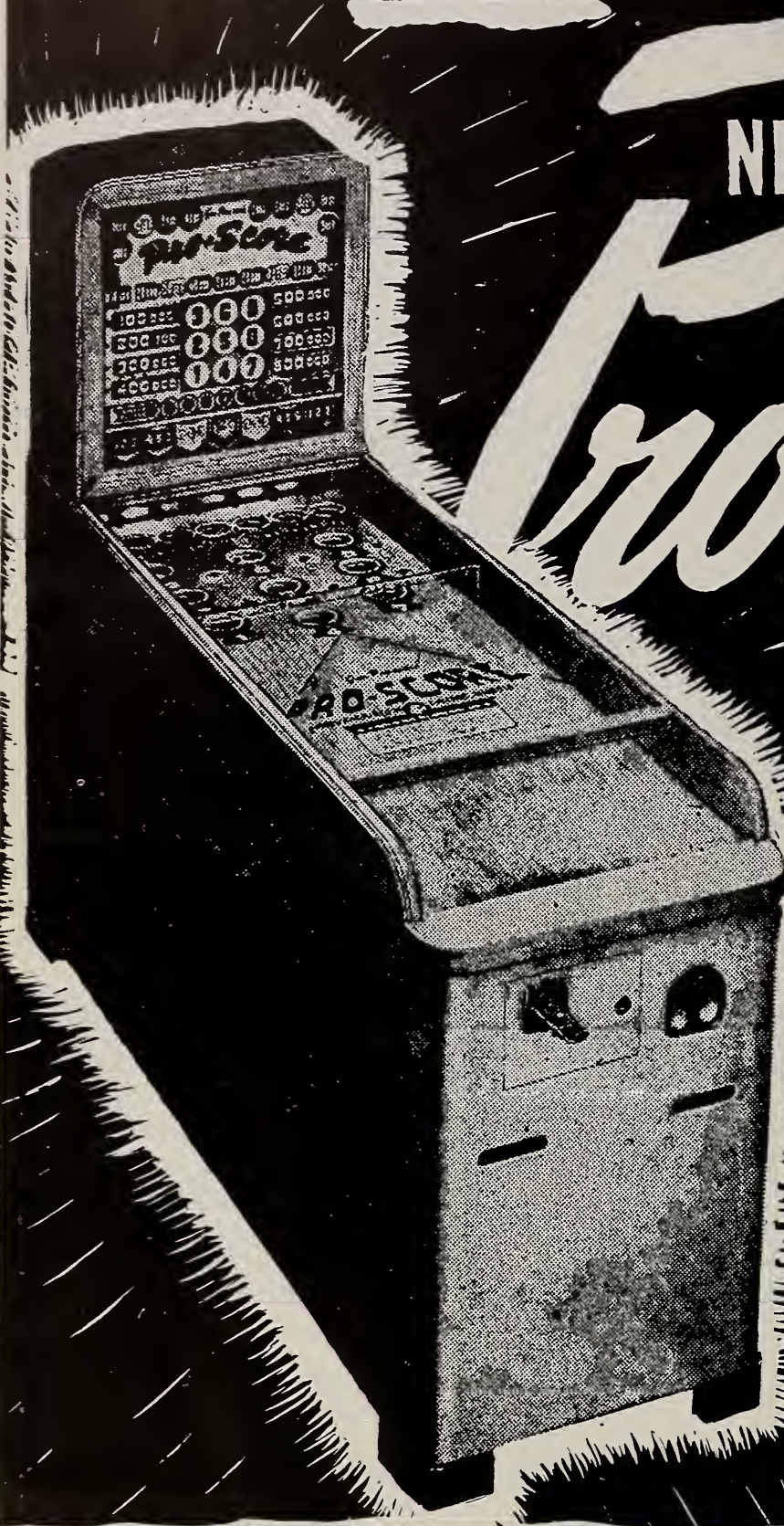
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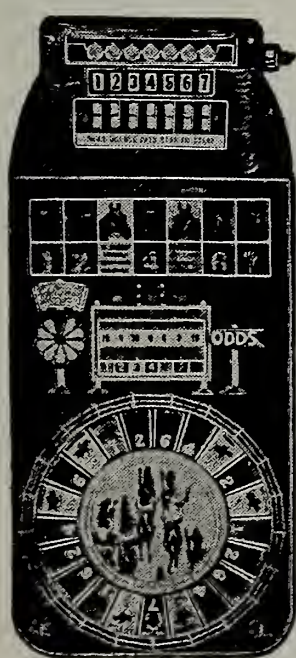
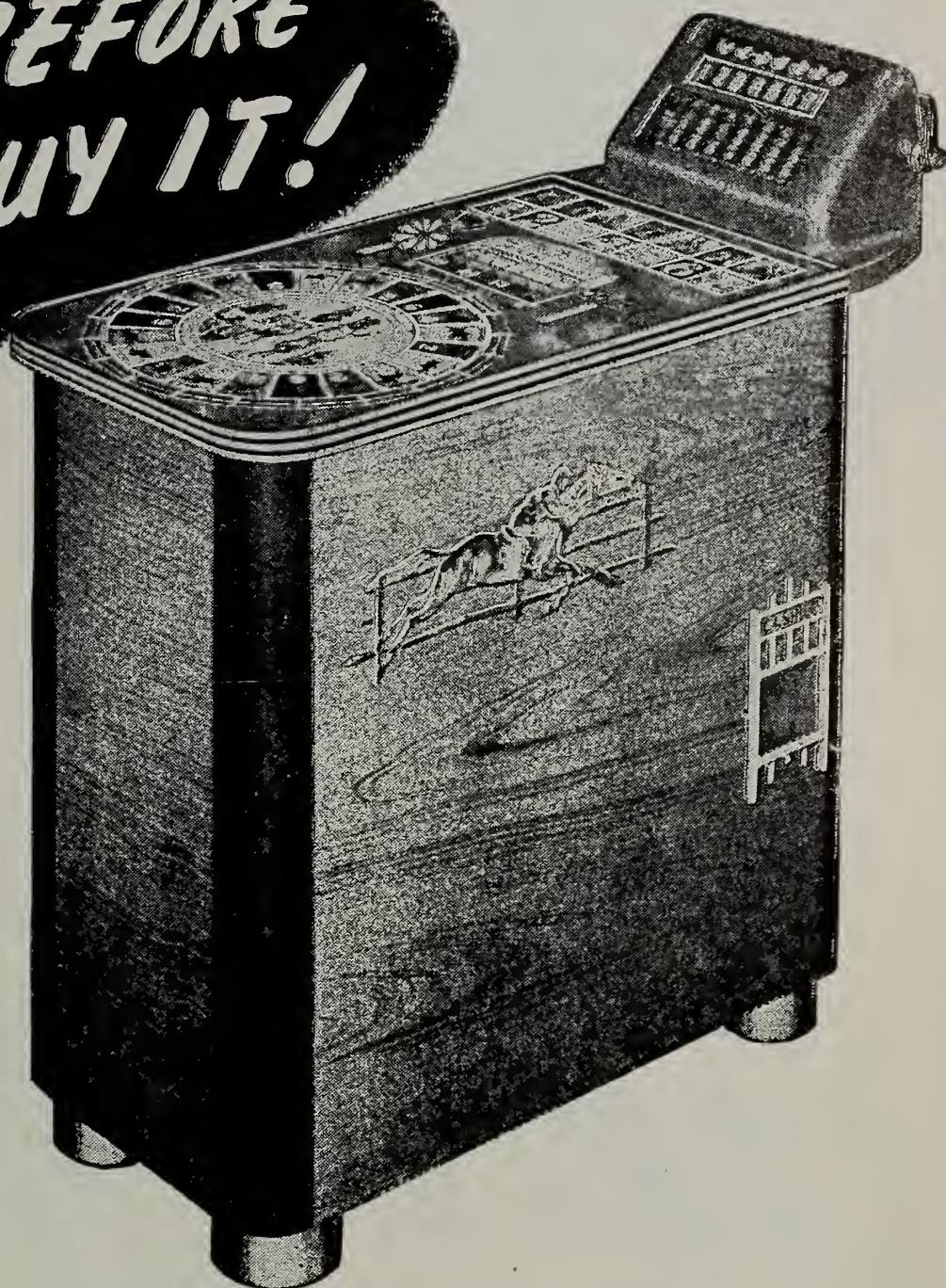
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"The battery model gives the operator a great opportunity to cash in on the money-making "Camera Chief" in locations where the electric model is not practical or possible", stated Ed.

Hanson also released the information that a new 5¢ model of the machine is being prepared and that the trade will be informed when it is ready.

GENCO'S NEW FIVE-BALL

CHICAGO — Genco Manufacturing and Sales Company, this city, announced the introduction of its new five-ball pin game, "Trade Winds".

The new game features many special money-making features which have proved out on location. In addition "Trade Winds" has incorporated many original features.

"'Trade Winds' will bring operators greater profits", states Myer Gensburg. "The game has many action features, players won't be able to leave it once they start playing. The game has a special adjustable free game feature, more ways to advance bonus scores, speedier flipper action to the top of the board, and 6 original floating rollover buttons."

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NEW YORK - George Ponser, of George Ponser Co., Chicago, Ill., arrived here this past week with very welcome news for ops of rolldown games in this area.

Ponser advised, "Because of the fact that our 'Pro-Score' rolldown game has now past the mark which we set for it when we first arranged for production schedule, and further, in view of the fact that our sales are continuing right along without halt, we are now in a posi-

tion to bring down the cost price."

Ops here who have purchased at the new price from Ponser report that this makes the new "Pro-Score" rolldown one of the best buys in the amusement machines field.

Ponser also stated that this price will hold for all the areas thruout the nation

He said, "We are informing all operators of rolldown games that they can now buy our 'Pro-Score' at a new low price which was only made possible by the hit which the game made and further because of the fact our production schedule is going on right ahead without any halt."

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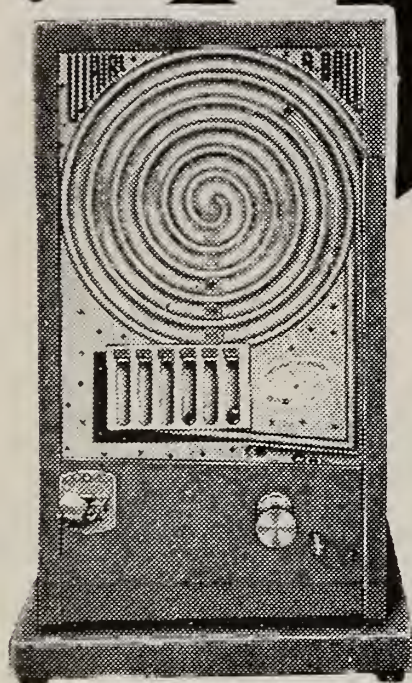
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DUDLEY C. RUTTENBERG

PORTLAND, ORE.—Dudley Ruttenberg, general counsel for Coin Machine Industries, Inc. was the principal speaker at a meeting of the new Oregon Mechanical Amusement Association, here, on March 23.

Ruttenberg told the gathering of more than 60 operators of the need for cooperation among coinmen in the fight for public recognition of the coin machine industry.

Curtis Ferguson of Salem is the president of the Oregon association. Budge Wright of Western Distributors this city, acted as master of ceremonies, and introduced the speakers. Orin Campbell of Tavern Owners Association of Oregon, also addressed the ops.

Among the members of the Oregon group who joined the CMI during the meeting was the Mayor of Boardman, Ore. Royal B. Hands

Freight Tie-Up Looms Ahead

NEW YORK — The Association of American Railroads have advised that with their present freight haulage cut 25% by the ICC, and the warning that the coal strike may cut even more deeply into all railroad freight, all users should now begin to plan far in advance to have the railroads carry their equipment.

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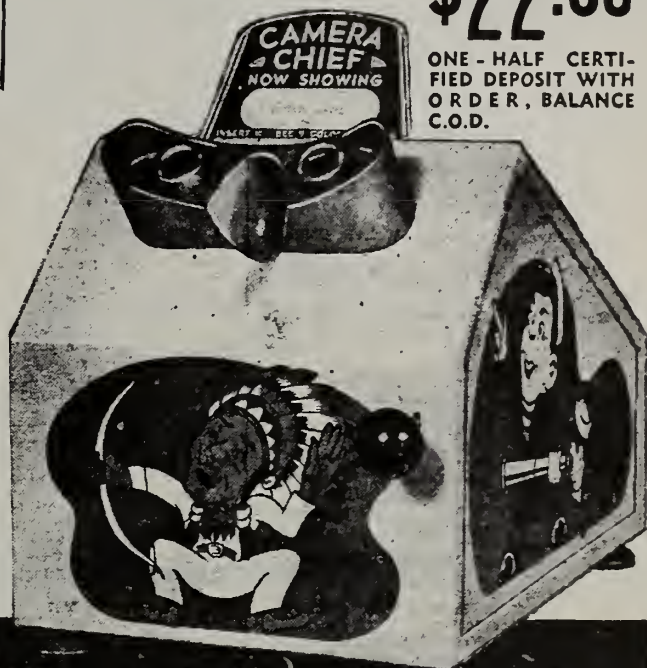
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ORIGINAL DuGRENIER OWNERS BUY IT BACK FROM AMI

HAVERHILL, MASS. - Francis C. DuGrenier and Blanche Bouchard, announced this week that they had purchased the physical assets of the cigarette machine manufacturing company, which had been purchased from the Arthur H. DuGrenier, Inc. by AMI a few years ago.

A new corporation is being set up, and will function under the original name of Arthur H. DuGrenier but production will not start for several months as a survey will be undertaken to determine the types of merchandise machines desired by the operators today.

"We will follow the policies and standards of production practiced by our original company from 1928 until we sold out to AMI" stated DuGrenier.

Officers of the new Arthur H. DuGrenier, Inc. are Francis C. DuGrenier, president; Blanche Bouchard, treasurer; and Huber C. Compton, secretary and director

The money received from the sale, it was announced will be set aside to go toward satisfying the claims of creditors. Under the terms of the sale, the new owners are not responsible for any obligations incurred by AMI during the operation DuGrenier, Inc.

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CHICAGO CHATTER

Congrats, congrats and still more congratulations to the newest Papa of this past week - Art Weinand of Rock-Ola Mfg. Corp. - who became the Daddy of a 6 lbs. 14 oz. boy...mother's doin' swell....and we hear Papa's okay now, too.....and, by the by, we won a buck from Art having guessed correctly.....Dave Wallach of Marvel Mfg. Co. all hepped up over his first plane trip.....Dave flew east this past week.....and now says that "there's nothin' like this way of travelin'"......he intends usin' planes from now on in.. ..Quite a gang of callers around the big Bally plant this past week.....saw Herman Paster of St. Paul..and heard him yowlin' away for more, and still more of those new Bally clickeroos....also bumped smack into Virgil (Chris) Christopher from Baltimoah who was smiling his smilingest (and winkin')....looks like Chris knocked off a honey of a deal.....Harry J. Miehle of Williamsport, Pa., was also there as well as the one man in these U. S. who loses regularly in gin to big Art Garvey....none other than our friend ...Ben Becker of Noo Yawk.....Ben Coven was absolutely thrilled to little teeney weeny pieces this past week by the sales which his grand salesman Paul Burke came in with...on Bally's Ballerina...and all over the entire state of Illinois.....so Ben said to Paul, "Take the week off"... so Paul said to Ben, "The hell I will... not when my luck's goin' so good".

Skeet Moore over at Williams Mfg. Co. was one of the most pleased salesmanager execs in the coinbiz this past week....a big rush of orders on Tennessee did it.. and now Skeet is rushin' in and out of the factory beggin' 'n pleadin' for more and still more games.."Brother, it's one grand feeling, take it from me, when you are over-ordered", Skeet claims (just as if we don't know it).....Ed Lavendar at the George Ponser Co. offices pleased to bits with the business his boss, Georgie, is sending in from the road....George is on his way East and has been sending orders in from every town he's visited.... with the firm now offering the trade a new low price because of the grand business they've done on "Pro-Score"and have been able to meet and beat production schedules originally planned for this machine.....Ray Riehl of United has become one of the super camera enthusiasts of our town...he's the guy who's responsible for all those pics taken over at the United factory...and some very, very good ones, too.....We hear that United's music critique...Herb Oettinger...visits all over the place singing his favorite tune..."Baby Face"...to the complete and absolute and murderous - - - - -of everyone in the place.....one of the guys in the plant says, "A hammer's gonna fall on him any day now."

Ed Levin of Chicago Coin all set for a big rush at the factory of all the many distribs now that the firm have announced their new five-ball "Trinidad" which, Ed claims, is the greatest of the bestest of all ever produced..it's a single flipper action high score game.....Jim and Mrs. Gilmore returned from that 11 day cruise and both reported to be lookin' absolutely swell and feelin' like a million, it's the life, Jim tells me.....as he assumes his duties at CMI once again.....Eddie Hanson over at Groetchen Tool all pepped up over his new battery model "Camera Chief"...so many requests received for a battery model that Eddie went right to work and created it...in speedy time.... take it from me.....Freddie Mann, that Aireon man, never home these days anymo'seems that Freddie is doin' a swell job with the new "Coronet 400" and just won't stop travelin' to get all informed about its money gettin' powers..... Myer Gensburg over at Genco, getting all set for general announcement of their new 5-ball game and, from what we hear.. it's a honey.....They tell me that everyone over at Bell-O-Matic was lugging home five pound chocolate easter eggs.....seems like Bill Marmer of Cincinnati sent them to one and all at this plantLindy Force of AMI hurried himself on down to Grand Rapids this past week to see whether he couldn't hurry up the factory on those 40 selection wall boxes which Lindy reports are goin' over with a terrific bang.

What's happened to Billy DeSelm? Ain't seen him around the town lately.....from what the boys at United tell me he's so busy at the factory he just can't get away anymo'.....Pat Buckley and Jerry Haley continue to be among the very busiest in town these days...seems that the boys just can't complete the orders for their Criss Cross Belle and Track Odds before another batch bunch in on 'em.....Harry Brown of American Amusement still on the road and still goin' great guns with new trailers to drag the merchandise along.. it's an idea...door to door service..... Gordon Sutton of Illinois Simplex flyin' everywhere and in almost every weather.. he's that good a pilot, they tell me.... Looks like there'll be a surprise comin' soon for the music ops who want a system to combat television....coupla guys from the east in town showin' it around here and there...or at least talkin' about it anyway, as we get the news....Lotsa guys callin' round at the Evans' plant to get those "Bat-A-Score" machines..and plenty of interest in Evans' consoles, too, we hear....Jean Bates over at Pace has some thing of real interest for Bellooperators who wanna see somethin' new..and Jean is one guys who knows what's needed by the Bellops t'day...see him.

THRU THE COIN CHUTE



EASTERN FLASHES

Ops busy this week due to the Easter vacation period, which brought in many visitors to the city. Amusement places filled to capacity with out-of-towners looking for some fun. With Lent gon, neighborhood locations also show a decided increase in collections. The pin game situation is status quo - with no newspaper publicity. Coinmen are hoping conditions will right themselves in a week or so. Plenty of action in the roll down field.

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Tenth Avenue saw plenty of out-of-town coinmen - some in for business, others taking a short vacation in the big city...Sol Gottlieb, D. Gottlieb & Company, visiting around. Sol is breaking in his new car, and putting miles on the clock, covering this area. He tells us that the factory is loaded down with orders on their new five-ball "Cinderella"...Sol Silverstein, Hub Enterprises, Baltimore, Md., in town for the day visiting his many friends, some of whom he hasn't seen in from five to eight years. He reports he's doing very well, jobbing, distributing and operating. His firm has just taken on the Aireon phono line...R.J. McGlynn the Australian coinman, back on the street after a week's visit to the coin center of Chicago...Dave Lowy, Dave Lowy & Co., due to return from Miami this week-end. Willie Blatt (Little Napoleon) writes us from "the Garden Spot Of The World" that Dave visited with him and remarked "Miami's climate and New York's business would be an ideal arrangement"...Wonder who phoned Phil Mason and tried to disturb his equilibrium with that fantastic story?

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Seen in front of Runyon Sales Co. one P.M. - Sol Gottlieb, Sol Silverstein, Harry Brown and Barney (Shugy) Sugerman. Discussion was mainly on distributor bootleggers who are creating such an unfortunate condition in the trade...Jack Mitnick's daughter ailing...Aaron Goldsmith, Hub Enterprises, Baltimore, recovering from a recent accident in which he broke his hip...Jack Cohen, president of the Cleveland Phono Owners Association, in town with his wife and kids - Jack's wife, a songwriter under the name of Gertrude Haber, listened to the initial rendition of her latest "The Tide Comes In" (with lyrics by Buddy Kaye) played for her by Larry Green and his orchestra at the Baltimore Hotel...Seen cutting up a jackpot at the Chatham Hotel - Charley Aronson, Bill Bye and Eddie Smith...Bennie Linn, handsome dynamic music of of Regal Music Co. handing out cigars in pairs this week. His missus presented him with twin boys. By the way, Bennie is one half of twins himself.

Ben Becker, Ben Becker Sales Company, (Bally regional representative) away from the office this week - we hear he's at the factory...All the coinmen passing by Hymie Rosenberg's office stop off to admire the new Oldsmobile convertible parked in front of his door. It's Hymie's new plaything...Nat Cohn, Modern Music Sales Corp., busy shipping out those "Coronet 400's" to music ops as quickly as they arrive. Pete Leonard, newly appointed sales promotion for Gem Records (one of Cohn's enterprises) goes on the road for the firm and will hit Chicago, Pittsburgh, St. Louis, Detroit, and Buffalo....A. Blendow, well known coinman, is the latest to open distributing and jobbing offices on coinrow. Firm is Blendow & Myers, located on the corner of 48th Street & Tenth Avenue. Al is the active member of the firm, which will specialize in arcade equipment, altho handling all types of machines....Bert Lane, Meyer Parkoff, Harry Rosen, and the entire staff of Atlantic New York Corporation, busy as the Savoy-Plaza Hotel, displaying the new Seeburg industrial music unit.

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George Ponser, George Ponser Co., of Chicago, in town for the week. George left at the end of the week, and will make stop-offs at Cleveland and Detroit before returning to the factory...Marvin Heisman, King Amusement Company, one of the new firms on coinrow, coming along in fine shape. Marvin originally was operating in Philadelphia....Steve Quinn, Seaboard New York Corporation, always happy and smiling. Which has a lot to do with the fine sales record being made by this firm...Which reminds us we miss the ever smiling kisser of Dave Stern of Seacoast Distributors. However, Dave is busy over at Newark, N.J. where with Irv Orenstein, they keep in action with the phonos of Rock-Ola.

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Mike Munves gets a chance to leave the office these days, now that Max is back from his Florida vacation. But not for too long, as they're all busy getting their arcade equipment into the hands of the coinmen for the opening of the season..... Joe Munves, over at Economy Supply Company, making great progress. As he explains, it is quite a job learning all about the thousands of parts demanded by operators...It was thrilling news to hear that Blanche Bouchard and Frank DuGrenier, original owners of Arthur H. DuGrenier, are returning to the business, having purchased the physical assets of DuGrenier, Inc.

THRU THE COIN CHUTE



CALIFORNIA CLIPPINGS

FLASH:- The Municipal Court ruled that a rolldown game is same as pinball machine...thereby illegal.....and reversing a three year old decision of a higher court...ops here will appeal case in 35 days.. and that makes lots of the guys and gals out here feel verra, verra low..but let's all hope the appeal wins.....Bill Happel too happy about arrival of long awaited.. Keeney electric cig vendor to be talking or thinking about anything else.....And another newcomer to town was..Bally's new Ballerina...as beautiful as its name and a lot faster and more exciting than some ballet hoofers we've known.....tried our hand at several games in Paul Laymon's and turned out so good, decided to give United's Manhattan a test run.....won several "free ones" on this lively baby, too.....one of Paul's boys kibitzed that we were just lucky, which moved us on to Bill Williams' Tennessee for a few roundshitting high score on that beauty, we went out looking for a crap game.....and were we lucky.....lucky we couldn't find one.....Bill's son, and Williams Mfg. Co. headman, Harry Williams, left town this past week in his flying Bonanza for Chgo but not until Pop had told him to keep those Tennessees rollin' thisaway.

Charlie Robinson busy on phone.....so swapped hellos real naborly-like with Al Bettelman.....Charley Fulcher, that stout fellow (no offense, Mr.F.) compared a few wartime reminiscences with us and learned we'd both been fighting on the same side.Unanimous in agreement we'd like to see the guys whipping up the next one do some of the scrapping....all that conversation doesn't mean Mills man-to-the-core Charlie didn't say, "You ought to see the new Mills Melon and Bonus bells we just got in"..Aubrey Stemler back in town from San Francisco and points north...and busy as usual a'cratin' in a'shippin'..Finally learned why Elky Ray is never on coinrow: Elky's changed his center of operations to the Playland Arcade on Main St.and Mac Saunders has taken over Pico Blvd. spot as headquarters for his routes 'n distrib business.

Jack Simon of Sicking taking a turn at Vegas and Jack Ryan ready to tear off to Bakersfield...the Jack of Ryans pointed a proud finger for our benefit at Bally's Gold Cup...as handsome a one-ball as ever had a finger pointed at it.....The whole tribe was in at Automatic Games...Dannie, Sammie, Georgie and their very sharp secretary....who's better lookin' than all 3 of them combined...Got to hand it to Geo. Warner, tho..he had a customer in tow and when that boy is thru selling 'em....they wind up thanking him just like he'd donated to their favorite charity.

At General Music, Fred Gaunt was in and busy..Bud Parr was down to San Diego and probably busy, too..but not too busy for a fast skeet shoot with favorite skeet-shooting partner, Gus Fox...The Solotone people are still waiting patiently and planning soundly for release of their new combination radio and record selectorbox reports from its downtown test run assure a fine reception for this F.E.Wilsonproduct...Bill (M.S.) Wolf took to the road again...this time Seattle...while genial Nels Nelsen awaits "any day" delivery of the new AMI 40 selector box..Another expectant lad is Lyn Brown....on the watch for Scientific's "Pitch 'Em And Bat 'Em"Len Micon and family were on the job at Pacific Coast Distribs, taking orders for quick delivery of Genco Trade Winds.

Plenty of music notes this week with first call going to Bill McCall, 4..Star Records who got a real rise out of local music circles this week...Bill sought to have Musicians Local 47 do something to stop Victor's Phil Harris release on "Deck Of Cards"..charge was that Phil, a member of the union, and Dinning Sisters, Capitol, for selection..Another one they like is Artie Wayne's Majestic platter.. "Let's Spend A Quiet Evening At Home".

Capitol's fiscal year statement, issued by prexy Glenn Wallichs...attributes the \$422,621 reduction in earnings in '47 to extra recordings..to beat the ban, inventory markdown and cost of new electrical transcription equipment....but don't let that worry ya'.....Capitol's business is but verra verra good these days, what with Peggy Lee's "Manana" and the likes. Note to Philly music ops: Benny Goodman should have those coin chutes clicking like never before when he opens May 24 at the Click Theatre Cafe in your town with his new hot combine...Have you heard Esy Morales' "Take It Easy" on the Rainbow label?...recommended here for either rumba or novelty spots...Another than promises to make with the nickels is a "Little Learnin' Is A Dangerous Thing".....a Columbia disk, it's a natural with Frank Sinatra and Pearl Bailey sharing the vocal..Interesting to note the rise of Tex Beneke's "St. Louis Blues March", in that number remake of V-disk by Glenn Miller, who heard it overseas, exclusively Victor and reintroduced on demand of ex-G.I.s... ..Aladdin's Leo Messner due home from... last stop, Dallas, brother Eddie report is advance orders on 7 new releases this month makes it biggest in history of the magic, moneymakin' company...Tip No.2... and for free...to music ops: Try Jewel: "Recess In Heaven" on your general locations as well as your race spots..you'll find it terrif'.

THRU THE COIN CHUTE



MINNEAPOLIS

Signs of Spring.....the Sportsman's Show at the Minneapolis Auditorium..... starting March 27 thru April 3..and many ops thruout the entire Northwest territory are coming in with their families.. to spend a day or so to see it.....It's quite an event.

Here they are.....Ray and Don Thraen.. of Tracy, Minn., spent a day calling on distribs here and then went over to visit the Sportsman's Show.....Louis Kaiser of Crookston, Minn., also in town for a few days looking things over....Ed Kubes of New Prague, Minn., drove all down to Sportsman's Show..and went about to say hello to the coinmen here.....J. Allan Redding of Hoiston, Minn., drove all the way down here to get a look at the...big Sportsman's Show...and told us he liked it, but swell.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kalasardo of Ladysmith, Wis., drove here to spend Easter Sunday with relatives..Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Birkenmeyer of Litchfield, Minn., in town and doing some shopping.....Frank Krall of Chippewa Falls, also in town calling on various distribs here.....Noel Hefte of Grand Forks, N.D. in town for several days.....he's a member of the Grand Fork Bowling Team in Tournament here.

Ike Pearson of Bridgewater, S. D., in town for a few days.....Walt Schmidt who is a successful garage man...as well as an operator in Red Wing, Minn., has the inside track to be nominated for the Red Wing Council....Walt is giving odds he's going to win.....Joe Atol of Arrowhead.. spent a few days around town, bumped into Morris Berger and drove him home.

Art Berg of Fairmont, Minn. spent several days here.....sort of a vacation... Fred Kirschman of St. Cloud, Minn., who sold his route...and was out of the biz for one solid month.....bought it back again and is with us once more.....Don Ehman of Winona, Minn., taking time out to drive here on some very fast businessMr. and Mrs. C. T. Treveer, also of Winona around our town for a few days.

NEW ORLEANS

Louis Boasberg advises that all pins now display a sticker...which tells the public that part of the proceeds...go to the Red Cross....Bernard Elias from New Iberia, La....still incapacitated..from that auto accident he had last summer.. but seems to be getting around pretty well on those crutches....also all Nola ops are pulling for Bernard to get well and visit around here once again....Ben Robinson....all dressed up in his brand new Spring attire.....doing some buying from Dave Martin....Dave Martin is sure keeping the roads hot..had to buy a new

set of tires for his Ford truck.....Saw Bob Buckley gazing with fond eyes....at that brand new Chevvy truck..which the firm just bought....Bob visualizing how a fleet of about 50 would look in front of his place.

The coinmen here really enjoying Beatrice Kay at the Beverly....Saw Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fox...Louis Boasberg.....and lots of others one night this past week ...Alfred Scivicique of White Hall, La.. buying equipment....Console Distrib. Co have moved their large repairing....and overhauling work to Good Hope, La....10 minute ride from their present quartersRoy Monica around town buying parts ...drove in from Lutchter, La.....Larry Copelands expecting the stork...any day now...O. C. Marshall out again traveling thruout the territory.....Al Morgan of Rex Coin Mach. Co.....getting plenty of nice compliments from visitors for their beautiful display....They tell me that Nick Carbajal's 4 mo. old daughter may one day be "Miss New Orleans" she's that gorgeous.

ST. LOUIS

Maynard Todd, Rock-Ola's here-again, gone-again rep...has departed St. Louis for a last look at winter up in Minneapolis....Todd made lots of friends among the nickel gentry this past month and will be back in St. Louis ever and anon...he reports.

Bill Betz of W. B. surprised everybody with a call around some of the suburban routes....Bill's hard at work on plans to help ops cut their operating costs...but...so far hasn't made much headway...he says...."Closed competition, and identical offers to location owners is about the only solution to our problems", he opined.....It's noticeable that wherever Betz has been...business picked up.

Ben Axelrod and Al Haneklau of Olive Novelty report themselves flushed with joy over two new Gottlieb games which spent record sojourn in the warehouse last Friday..25 games came in at 11:30 and were all gone at 3 P.M.....as long patient ops snatched them up..."And we have 30 more games on the list", Haneklau beamed.....After early March drop the quick sale was pleasant business.

The Missouri Amusement Machine Assn. has scheduled an important meeting for the first of April...The closed competition plans which have been operating in half-way style the past few weeks will probably be ironclad after this session...it is reported.

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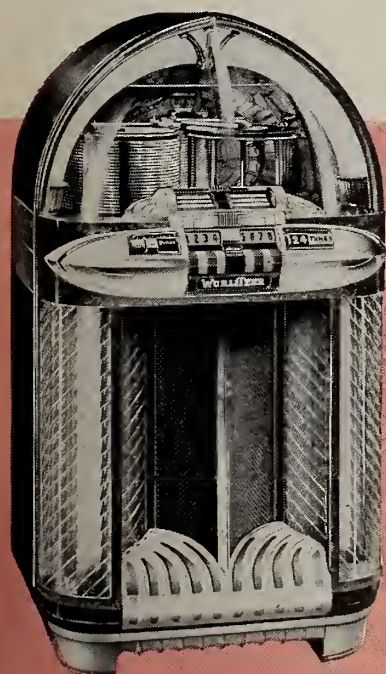


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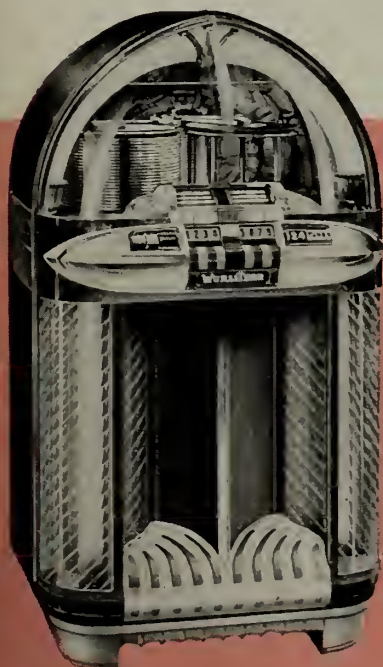
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Spring Season Booms Demand for Used Equipment. Entire Field Feels Action. Prices Start Going Up With Quotations for Later Model Used Equipment Hitting New Peaks.

NEW YORK—Just as the song goes, "Spring is busting out all over"—so it seems is the coin machine field—busting out all over with greater demand for used equipment than it has enjoyed in many, many months.

Of a sudden, practically with no notice whatsoever, operators started to call around for more late model used machines than they have in past months.

The result is that jobber after jobber and distributor after distributor has been searching 'round and about to obtain more of the later model used machines.

And, as long distance wires buzzed, the news spread that the used machine market was once again in action, with the result that prices started crawling upward—to new peaks, which haven't been seen for sometime.

There is no longer any doubt that the demand will far exceed the supply. Operators are intent on testing new spots, especially roadside stands and resorts, with used machines first.

"It's one well known operator said, "I'm not going to invest heavy money in new equipment until I get some idea what these spots can do for me in the way of earning me some money."

This seems to be the universal plan and the demand continues to grow.

For example, late model pinball games are now in such demand that jobbers and distributors, who were formerly willing to give them away at whatever price they traded them in for, are now holding back to obtain a decent profit on the trade-in price.

In the phono field the same is also apparent. Formerly, even such outstanding machines as the Wurlitzer 750E, could almost be commanded at a price by the juke box ops. Now those who have these machines are holding off, and the price continues upward.

The curb stone brokers seem to have been curbed, because of the fact that the larger dealers are not any longer inter-

ested in offering the merchandise on a percentage sales basis.

The operators are, regardless of this rising market, still finding used machines their best bet for testing out the new resort and roadside spots.

One op put it this way, "We don't know whether there will be crowds in the resort spots as there were last year and the year before that. We also don't know, regardless of all the optimism, whether there will also be as much traveling, so that the roadside places will prove profitable locations. We want to wait and see. And used machines are our best bet in this case."

So as the ops hesitate—the prices continue to go up.

The trade feels the action and all realize that before long many good territories will be calling for equipment. These territories, as many have pointed out, have been quiet all during the past harsh winter months.

Whatever will happen within the next few weeks will be most noticeable to all in the field. By using the older equipment for test purposes and, thereby, cleaning out inventories, there is no doubt that new equipment will start moving faster than before and the entire field is bound to see better action in all categories, both new and used, than it has all during the past winter.

First to feel the effect of the rising tide in used equipment were the juke boxes. These jumped up some weeks ago and have held up and, according to experts, will continue to go even higher.

The games market has held to a price, but, with many selling new equipment on a small profit margin, there is some doubt as to whether the used games will hold the gains they have made.

In the merchandise machine field, the demand for used equipment continued steady, right thru the past, tough winter months and, according to all reports, has increased, since the manufacturers in this field seem to be stymied about getting into heavy production, as was promised for this time of the year. Therefore in this field the used machines will go up, rather than tend downward as production gets going.

Whatever other action is visible, there are also sales in very good quantity in the bells, consoles, one-balls and allied fields. These machines have taken the first place attention of many operators who are finding that there is a good demand from locations for them at this time.

In fact, it has been noted, and this is also apparent, that phone calls have been going the rounds asking for these machines. Tho this has been rather quietly done these past weeks, it is now coming into the open as offers to operators for trades become frequently greater.

The fact that prices are tending upwards has stimulated many coinmen to buy what they can as fast as they can to insure themselves sufficient equipment for the forthcoming Spring and Summer season which give promise of better profits.

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SPRING WAKES UP ENTIRE INDUSTRY

Look for Boom Season. New Equipment Sure to Open Way to Greater Profits, is Leaders' Prediction. Entire Field Gets Set for Greatest Effort.

NEW YORK—The entire industry awakened with the first signs of Spring weather.

It is now generally believed that a boom is bound to result if the members of the field will continue hitting as hard as they have started to and will also continue on with the proper exploitation which, as in former years, won such a great following for this business.

New equipment being presented by the manufacturers is clicking with all in the trade.

There is now a general belief that collection averages, which have already started to show a definite upswing, will go much higher and that this, in itself, will result in awakening the industry to its own great importance in the entertainment fields.

Almost every division of the business has caught this fighting fever—to get the trade over the top, beginning with the Spring season.

What is also very heartening is the fact that the ops are now concentrating all of their energies on building up their routes to the highest possible degree.

Tho there are as yet many of the nation's coinmen who are not

completely set up on their locations with better machines, as well as with a new commission basis, the average operator already has all these factors under control, and is getting himself into position to assure himself, the highest possible profits.

Leaders in the field look to the Spring season for big play. They all believed that the warm weather would once again bring people out of their homes and that this sort of circulation would result in a gain all around.

These past weeks have proved this true. As the weather grew warmer, more and more ops reported that they found play getting better.

Taverns and restaurants thru-out the country report that there's been a definite increase in their business these past weeks and that, as business gets better, they, too, look forth to one of the best Spring and Summer seasons.

Operators, therefore, are of the opinion that this Spring will start

the ball rolling and that, with the new products which are being presented, they are assured every opportunity of recapturing the big play which has always been the outstanding feature of the Spring and Summer seasons.

Reports from arcade owners are to the effect that they look to the forthcoming season with greater optimism than ever before.

They believe that should Congress vote a draft there will once again arise a large number of new arcades in the vicinity of camps and that the entire penny arcade field will get a "shot in the arm".

What is most thrilling to many in the field is that the entire industry is pushing forth its greatest effort to make this the beginning of a boom which will carry all thru to the end of 1948.

And, with the further fact, that the public is accepting only economical entertainment there's no earthly doubt that the field has every possible opportunity before it to boom on ahead.

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